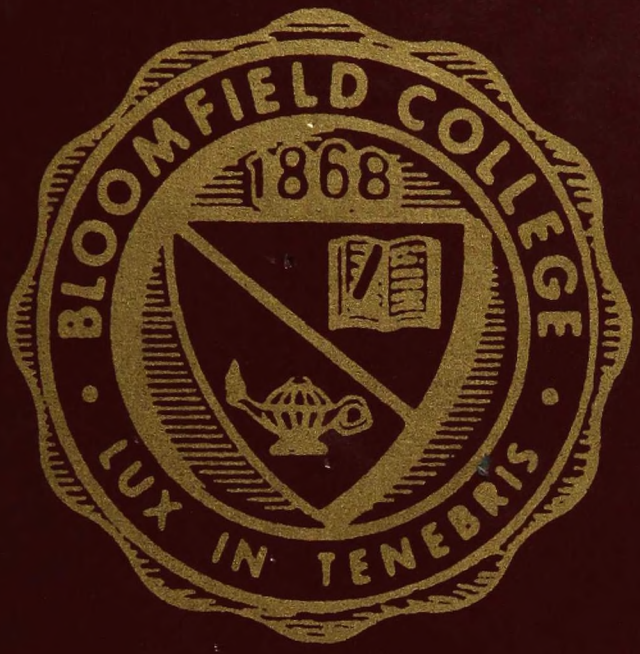

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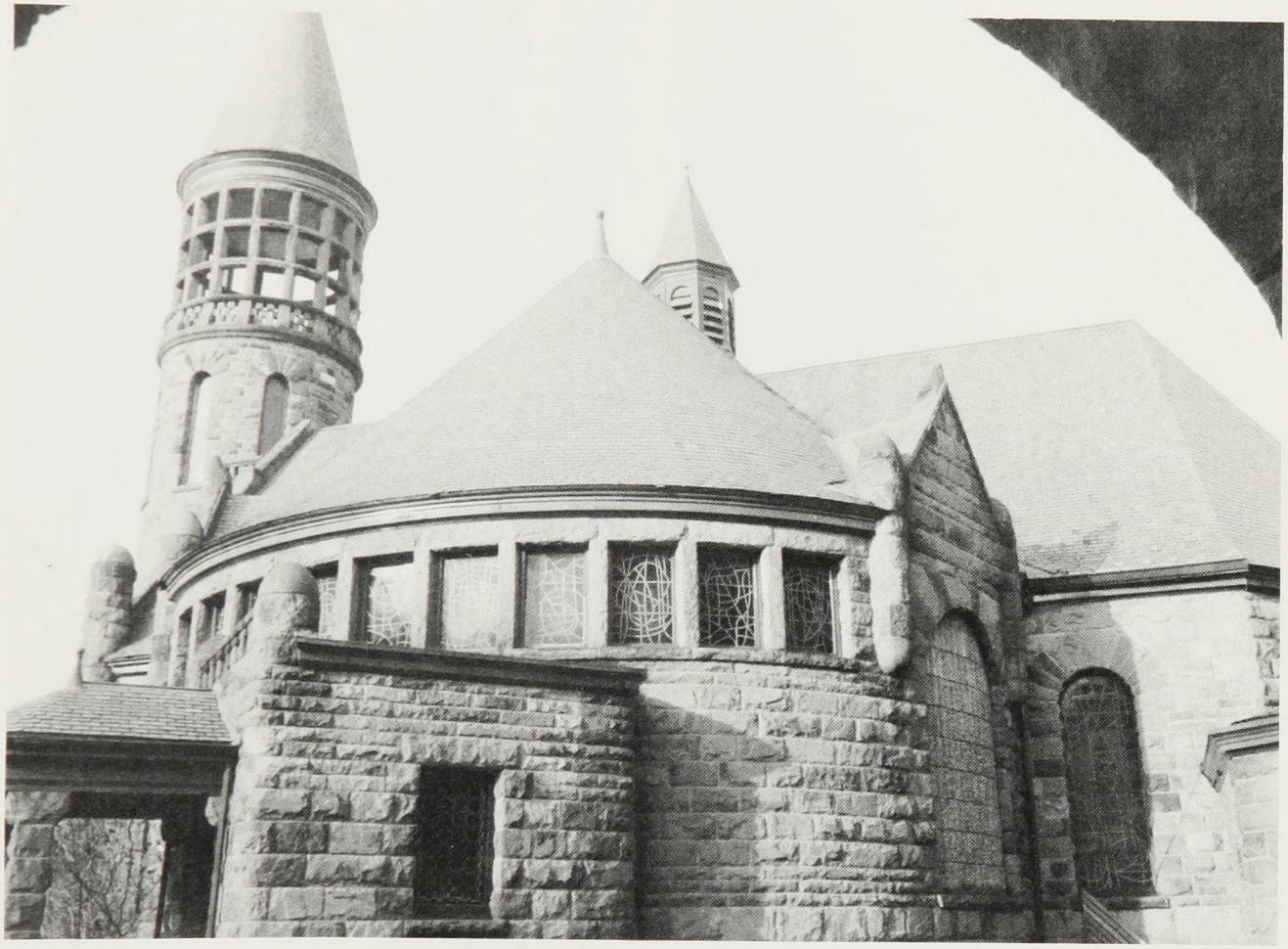

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THIS ONE'S FOR YOU

Expectations '89 Is Dedicated To You

We, the students would like to take this time to thank you for all the support you have shown us during the past two years. Your high ideals and goals are an inspiration to all and most importantly your determination in the pursuit of your dreams gives us the courage to reach for the stars also. With love, respect and admiration we would like to dedicate this Yearbook to you.

Since July 1987 rolled around, there has been a new fervor on campus. It was the introduction of Dr. John F. Noonan as our 15th President that sparked it. Dr. Noonan's fresh character and discernment for the college's needs has helped him to become one of the most prominent people in the community.

Dr. Noonan was born on October 5, 1940, just outside of Boston, Massachusetts. He is the eldest of six children and the father of two, Patty and Kathy. Dr. Noonan's wife Beth, of 25 years, is just as passionate and unreserved as he. After moving to Wheeling, West Virginia with his family, Dr. Noonan attended Wheeling College and graduated with an M.A. and a Ph.D. in 1963.

As a child, Dr. Noonan was an excellent golfer and connoisseur of many sports. To this day he is very active with daily running routines of three to six miles a day and bicycle trips through Europe and the East Coast. Prior to coming to Bloomfield College, Dr. Noonan was Dean of the School of Arts and Science at Iona College in New Rochelle, N.Y. for four years.

YB: What do you like most about Bloomfield College?
Dr. N.: The students, they are very energetic and serious about the importance of education in their lives along with a rich tradition in their values. I would also have to say the faculty. I have a great deal of respect for them. In addition, I also like the size, location, tradition and human variety.

YB: What are your plans to improve Bloomfield College?
Dr. N.: I am working on making the college more visible by talking to the media, people of higher education, and the community. I also would like to strengthen the academic programs such as the business and science and math departments. The renovation of Westminster Theater and the updating of the library are also next.

YB: What have been your major accomplishments as President?
Dr. N.: I would say the Challenge Grant is the major achievement. Other things that I am proud of are the upgrading of the Materials Management Program into an institution, the newly formed Campus Ministry, the increase of enrollment, the retention of students in all categories, and finally the sense of renewal and energy in the institution.

YB: Who is Dr. John F. Noonan?
Dr. N.: On the Presidential side, he is a person who is working very hard to renew an institution that has gone unsung and unheralded for too many years. If he accomplishes this, it will be the greatest challenge of his life. On the personal side, he is a husband and father with a rich tradition and sense of family. It is a privilege to be here. I have never been in an institution that I enjoy more than Bloomfield College.

opposite pg: Noonan listens intently during this year's orientation for the incoming freshman.
left: Dr. Noonan with his wife Beth at their Open House this Christmas.
bottom left: Dr. Noonan confers with Dean McCall on some upcoming events.

CATCH OUR SPIRIT

B.C.'s greatest production yet!

Lights, camera, action. The stage is set, the actors are ready. The audience waits in anticipation. The star attraction emerges from the shadows . . . Bloomfield College in '89.

Long hard days of preparation preceded opening night. Practice sessions consisted of forming new organizations and committees. Time was spent brainstorming, making posters, and advertising events, all in an attempt to foster school spirit.

'Cut', yells the director, the cast runs through their act again. 'Try, try again' became the popular train of thought. Before the scene can run smoothly many attempts and variations are explored in order to satisfy all students.

Lisa Caruso, Director of student Activities, formed the Student Advisory Board to know what students want. Hours were spent on planning, organizing and publicizing events. Some successful, others not.

TAG, the elemination game, many trips and mini talent expeditions by students were scraped due to a lack of participation. Positive aspects can be found in every failure. For example the mini talent showcases were not too successful but from that DJ Mozart (Mark Hamm) joined the cast. We must remember the show must go on!

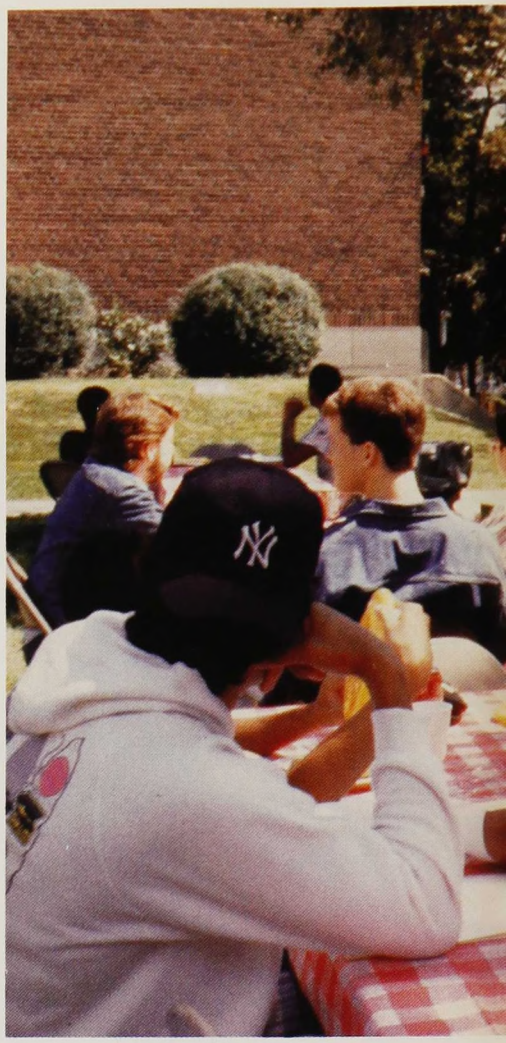
"It's a learning experience . . . You can be realistic and say these things did not succeed but we are going to give it a try from there", says Caruso.

Who can forget when The Twist rocked the house during the 50's dance or being scared during a barrage of horror flicks on movie night or dancing at the 12 hour marathon. The Student Advisory Board should be given a round of applause for their valiant efforts.

Lines memorized, valedictorian chosen, sets designed, award dinners over, cast and crew ready and dress rehearsals behind us, the Class of '89 takes center stage for their final performance.

The lights go down, the curtain closes, the audience stands in ovation, the Class of 1989 graduates. The Academy Award goes to Bloomfield College.

As the Class of '89 fades away there is a willing and able understudy to take their place — the Class of 1990. They will be the future stars of their own show.

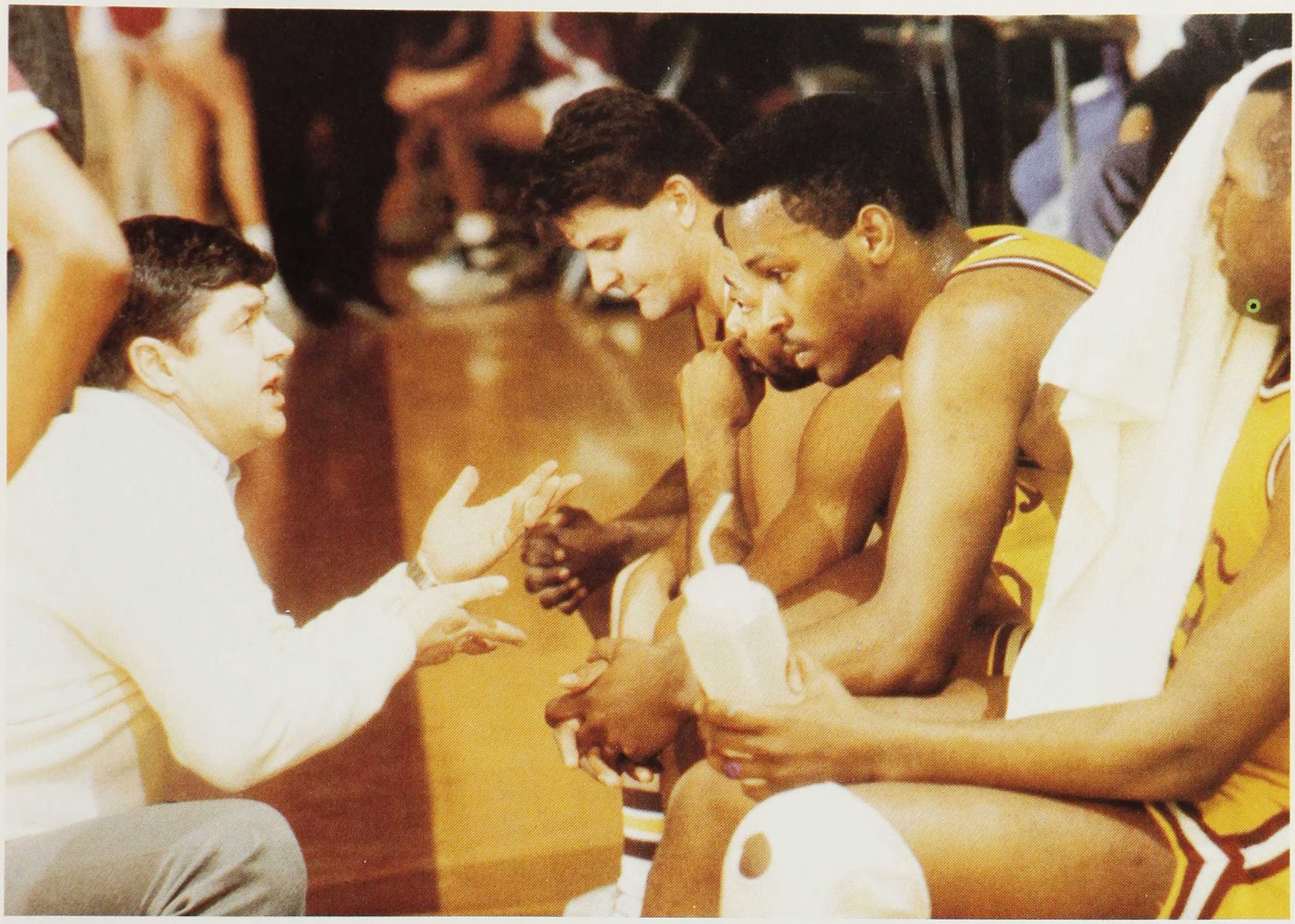


left: Calm down, everyone will get a frizbee says, Peter LaMonaca. below: Toni Baker diligently studies for a big exam.

left: A group of B.C.'s finest spirit raisers cheer on The Lady Deacons. above: Alpha Omega Epsilon begins to recruit freshman for their sorority at Orientation.

Below: Darsel Jackson. Right: Eric Shapiro shares the day with fellow students, Julie Vickers and Mildred Berrios.

Right: Carole Robinson chooses a sweatshirt from the Bookstore.



Top: The Deacons during half-time. Left: Alisa Webb shows her loyalty and spirit by helping prepare the course catalogues.

Knox Hall

Administration

left: Linda Epps gives advice to a student.
below: Ruth Cowen, pictured in her office.

'Never Met a Student She Didn't Like'

Linda Epps has been with the College for 12 years and has made her way to Assistant Dean of Academic Services, now that Mary Kay Mulligan has moved on. She describes her office as a problem solving base. Linda seems to be made for the job because of others. Linda expands by saying "I haven't met a student yet I didn't like. For the most part I have not met anyone that I did not feel a closeness to."

Linda typifies the attitude of the whole department when during the course of the conversation she referred to Bloomfield College as 'family'.

The Academic Affairs Department works in harmony to support the students and their endeavors. Finishing this department is: Ruth Cowen, V.P. for Academic Affairs, Martha LaBare, Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and of course the Office of the Registrar.

upper left: Martha LaBare. Lower left: Asst. Registrar Byerte Johnson, Carole Thornton, Associate Registrar, Phyllis Hayes, Lee DeGennaro, Associate Registrar, and standing in the back, Registrar Harry Hope.

Dear Abby,

I have a problem and have no one to turn to. I am graduating from high school this May and have been accepted into Bloomfield Coillege. The problem is that I have so many questions. Will I fit in? Where will I live, on campus or at home? What shall I major in? What will I do for fun? Will I make friends? Help I am . . .

Hopelessly Confused!

Dear Confused,

First I'd like to congratulate you on getting accepted to such a fine organization such as Bloomfield College. Bloomfield has a fine staff that will help you through your adjustment period and thereafter also. To address your question whether or not you will fit in the answer is of course! B.C. is a multi-racial, multi-cultural institution.

Pargellen McCall, V.P. for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, and her assistant Lillian Epstein and her secretary, Ann Wortham, oversee all student activities. They are a problem solving base as well as a sounding board. Their door is always open to students!

Confused about life? Reverend Paul Boger is the school Counselor, and Chaplin. He is one you can always count on. Have career decisions to make Bloomfield's Career Counseling and Planning can help in all aspects and they also provide a personal touch. Frank Alston can answer your questions on housing arrangements. If Frank is not available because of his second position as Upward Bound Director you can always count on his Secretary, Shelly Martin. If you are ever sick and need the nurse Linda Chastney is the one to talk to.

I suggest if you want to make an effort to fit in you should get involved in your school and take pride in it. Get involved in sports, speak to either Al Restaino, Director of Athletics or his assistant Nancy Bottge and be a part of a winning team. Or get involved in a club or organization. Lisa Caruso, Director of Student Activities can give you more than enough suggestions.

One last word — you don't need my help because you are fortunate enough to go to Bloomfield College. Good Luck!!!

Top: Al Restaino and Nancy Bottge are happy with this year's sport teams. Above: Shelly Martin flashing one of her famous smiles. Not pictured: Dean McCall, Lillian Epstein, Linda Chastney, Reverend Boger, Frank Alston.

Above: Lisa Caruso on a busy day (everyday is a busy day, she says). Loretta Connolly, Daphne Lin Chang and Clarence Wright getting ready to start a new day.

Are You Wright For This Job?

Any doubts about your major and career plans? You should consult with Career Counseling and Planning immediately because they can definitely get you on the Wright track.

Clarence Wright has been with the College for almost 11 years and is a person with the student in mind. He started out in Admissions but after awhile changed to Housing Director and finally to CP & P. He explains his moves as follows "Because of the relationship I've developed with the student through recruiting and talking to them . . . I wanted to be more involved with the student after they got here . . . One of the best aspects of my job is that I get to develop people in that I help them with their careers, interviewing skills

Beam Me Up Scotty!

"To boldly go where no person has gone before.", so said Captain James T. Kirk of the Starship Enterprise and that is just what the Office of Admissions has been doing. Under the helmsmanship of the new Dean of Admissions, Andrew G. Nelson, they have traveled further to attract the best possible students. In the 1988-89 year more students and alumni have recruited a great number of students. With the ever increasing changes occurring at Bloomfield College recruiting new students has become easier.

On a sad note. Meta Boyle, the much loved Senior Assistant Director of Admissions left, but returned months later to work under President Noonan as Director of Special Events.

Above: Andy Nelson at Open House. Above right: l-r: Warner Smith, Carol Milan, Mary Pekar, Jennifer Gorda, James Fritz, and Matthew Lynch.

How to beat the high cost of higher education is the prime goal of the Financial Aid Office. Bloomfield Colleges is one of the least expensive colleges in New Jersey, but many students have problems paying the cost of tuition. Under Janet Mariano, Director of Financial Aid, and her staff bends over backwards for the students of Bloomfield. With the current revisions in the financial aid forms, the Office of Financial Aid is always willing to sit down with the student and/or parent and complete the forms step-by-step. Very few college financial aid offices offer as full of services as Bloomfield College's Office of Financial Aid.

Fighters of Justice

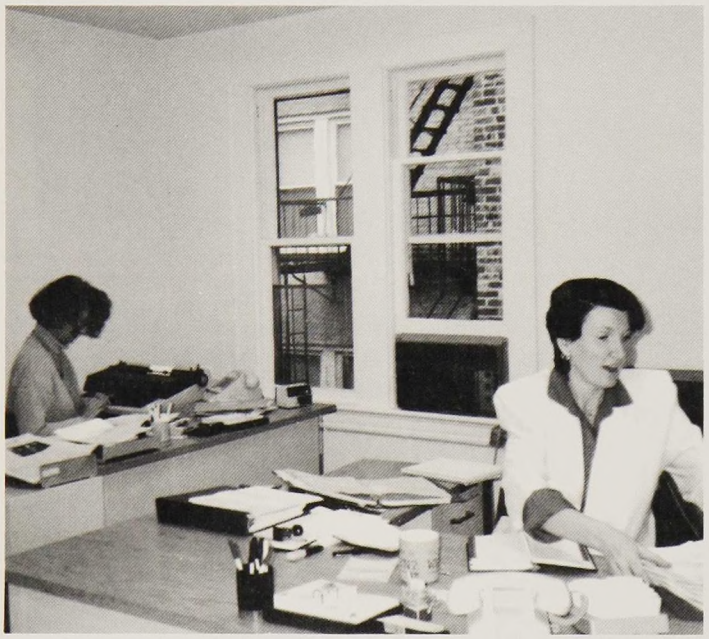
Above: Janet Mariano and Mary Stack. Above left: Juliet Munfoe and Sonia Vick working real hard. left: (L-R) Juliet Munroe, Janet Mariano, Mary Stack, Sonia Vick, Lauren Atkinson and Donna McDonald.

Below: Dr. Noonan.

The Office Behind The Man

Who is the woman behind the man? You know the one I'm referring to, the one who quietly supports the man while he receives the recognition. Or in this case, who is the staff that supports President Noonan? If you ever wondered who helps the President to shine, they are: Joyce Lennon, Executive Assistant to the President, Terry Downey, executive secretary and Louise Sayre, secretary.

The Office of the President is an extremely busy office; it is a place that is open to the community and to all students. If there is an unresolved problem you better bet it can be taken care of at this office. Noonan is the first to point out the great staff he has working for him. And they are quick to say the same about him. Terry says, "We all have good positive attitudes . . . which is easy to do at Bloomfield."



Above: Terry and Louise working hard to keep up with their boss. Right: (T-B) Louise Sayre, Joyce Lennon and Terry Downey.

Below: Meta Boyle. Bottom: Paula Laks with her daughter Rachel, and students — Peter LaMonica, Jason Beck and Lovelene Caldwell.

Laks Conducts Man Search

Lost addresses, forgotten phone numbers and missing ex-wives were some of the topics of this years' annual phone-a-thon. While Paula Laks was calling alumni for donations, she came upon the usual requests about contacting old roommates. But this year she was approached with a different request — locating someone's ex-wife.

Paula's job expands well beyond this. She is responsible for ongoing alumni relations. Director of the Annual Fund and she serves as an advisor to the Bloomfield College Student Alumni Association. (No, she never found the ex-wife).

Project Engineer

After nearly ten years Meta Boyle retired from Admissions and later returned to become the Director of Special Activities. She views this role as something new and challenging. Meta says, " . . . This goes for young and old, you get into your rut and you find you need something to challenge you and that's what makes life interesting and exciting . . . I felt for awhile that I needed to do something different . . . This is something I think I will like."

The Public Relations Department works under the supervision of Donna Meade, who without all her generous help this year's yearbook would not be a reality.

You've Come To The Right Place

If you need any kind of information you have come to the right place if you are looking in Bloomfield's Library. Not only do we have the absolutely best staff around but tons of books. The Library has a collection of over 130,000 volumes., 500 periodical subscriptions covering all segments of the expanding curricula, approximately 3,000 volumes in an up-to-date reference collection, 4,0000 reels of micro-fiche, over 3,800 musical and non-musical phonograph records, scores. albums, films and videotape and about 7000 pieces of vertical file materials and equipment. Air-conditioned reading rooms, equipped with comfortable reading stations and listening facilities in both the main and Audio-Visual Libraries, provide a pleasant atmosphere for concentrated study, as well as recreational reading.

Top: Karen Archer takes full advantage of Bloomfield's library. Above: (L-R) Dennis Gillan, Head librarian, Denise Montoya, Doug Poswencyk and Alibeth Howell.

Unsung Heroes

The Inner Workings . . .

Young or old, part-time or full, evening or day, these students all have had an occasion to visit the Business Office (Office of Financial Affairs) — like it or not. The friendly and helpful attitudes of the staff make the unpleasant visit a little more bearable.

Many times we overlook the valuable service provided by the campus bookstore. We go there to purchase our books and then only on whims and emergencies. Their constant support is greatly appreciated!

Immaculate, spotless, tidy and well kept are words that easily describe the condition of the college. This is all thanks to a hard working Physical Plant Department.

To all the unsung heroes, we the students, would like to extend our appreciation for all your support!!!

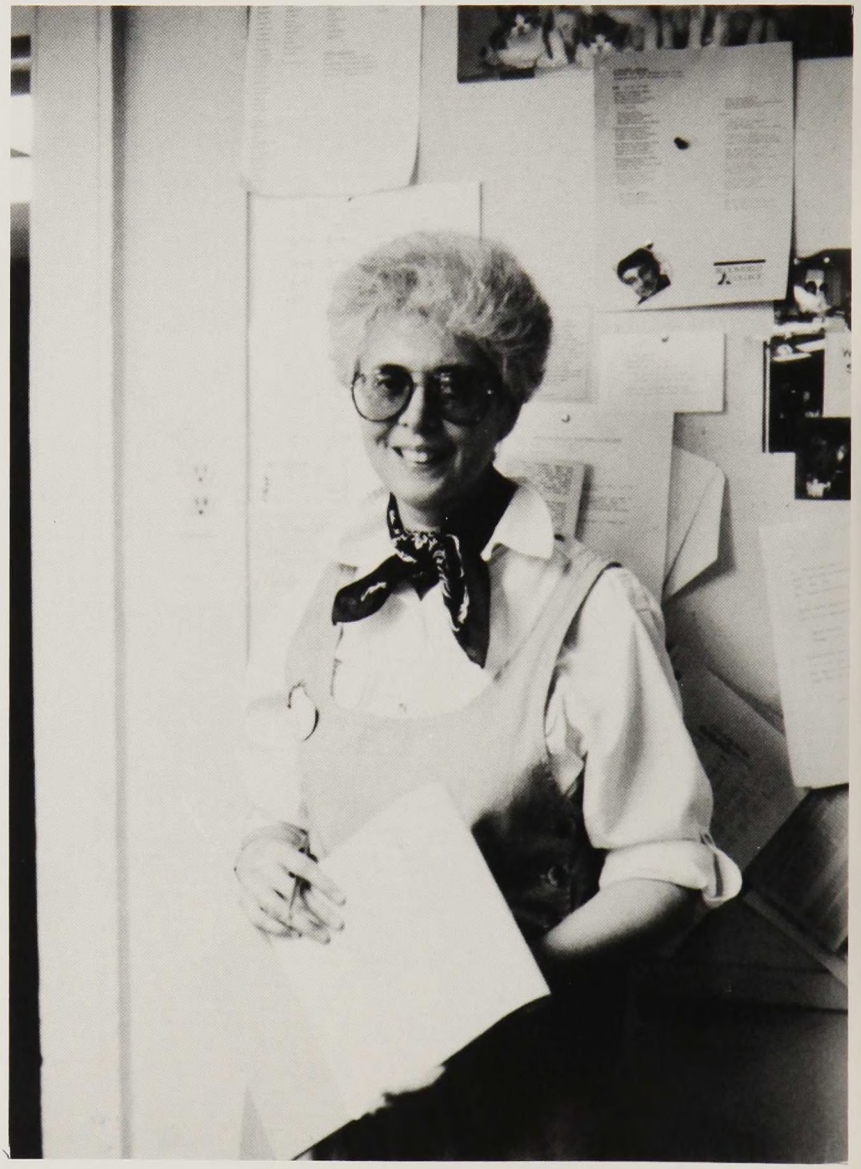
Charlie Pearson, Head of Maintenance with his son-in-law.

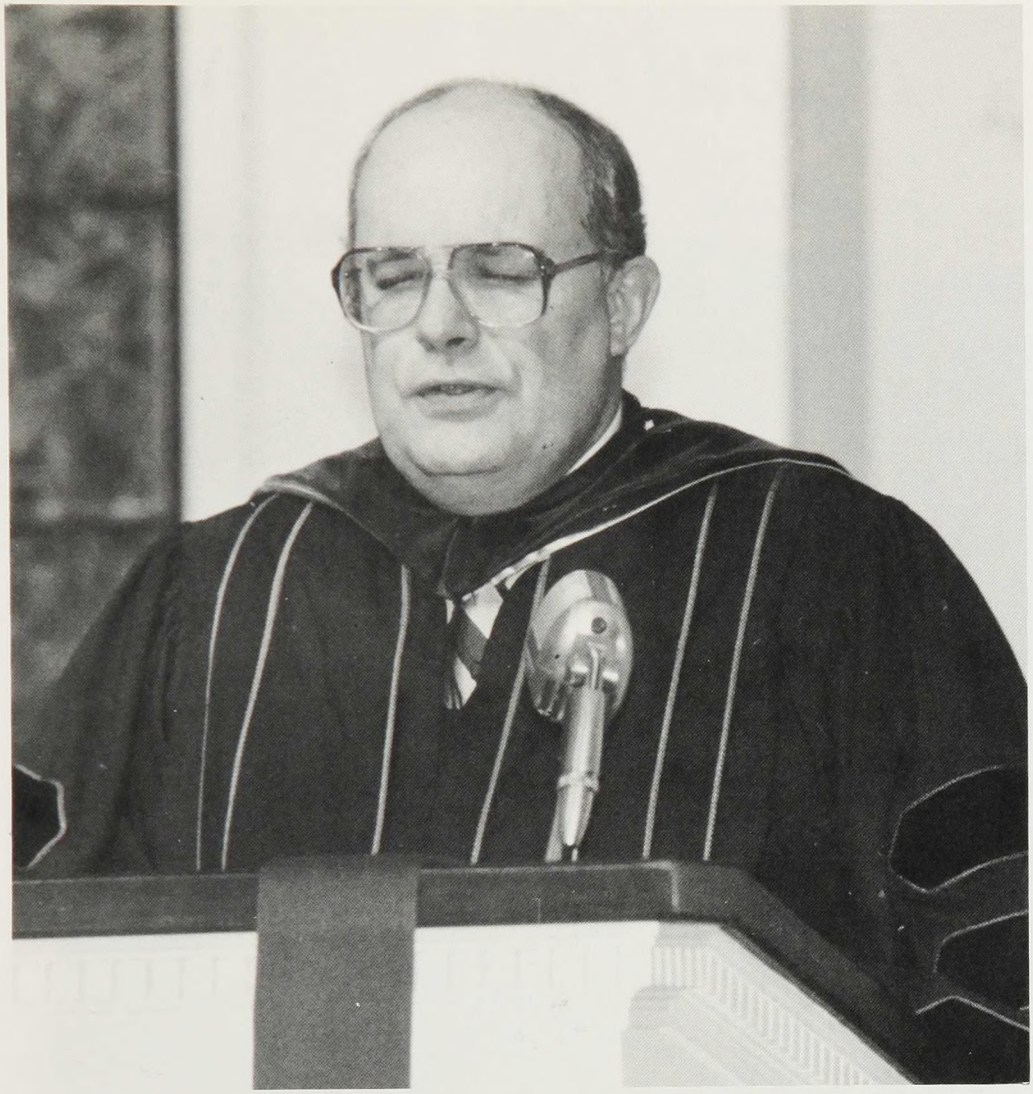
Upper left: The Business Office

Come One Come All

Are you stuck on that first line of an essay? Are your writing or mathematical skills rusty? The Learning Support group located at Voorhees Hall are more than happy to provide free tutorial sessions to any students.

It is more than likely that you, as graduates, have all had an occasion to refer to the Learning Support group at one time or another.





Left: Is Reverend Boger sleeping during his own sermon? Lower left: Lucy Williams and President Noonan at her retirement party. Below: Paula Laks getting ready to "do lunch" with her friend.

Faculty

Business On The Move

Big businesses merge with even bigger corporations, the stock market will always fluctuate and policies and laws are continually revised to accommodate society. Things rarely remain the same for any length of time. Time and time again business students are told in order to succeed they must risk their pride and take the necessary steps to make a positive change. Now the business department has taken its own advice.

Professor DeLuca is now the new head of the department, Michailidis is writing another book and the department has moved from Richard's Hall to Fremont Street. Speaking of moving . . .

Professors Collmier, Ogden and DeLuca take a break from grading their exams.

Ogden Heads For High Seas

The land down under, clear blue water and golf. After fifteen years of dedicated service to the school, Professor Frank Ogden has retired. He and his wife took a much needed vacation to Australia.

Ogden has agreed to stay on as an adjunct professor. He will be sorely missed and well remembered.

Above: Professor Ogden is presented with an autographed picture at his retirement party.

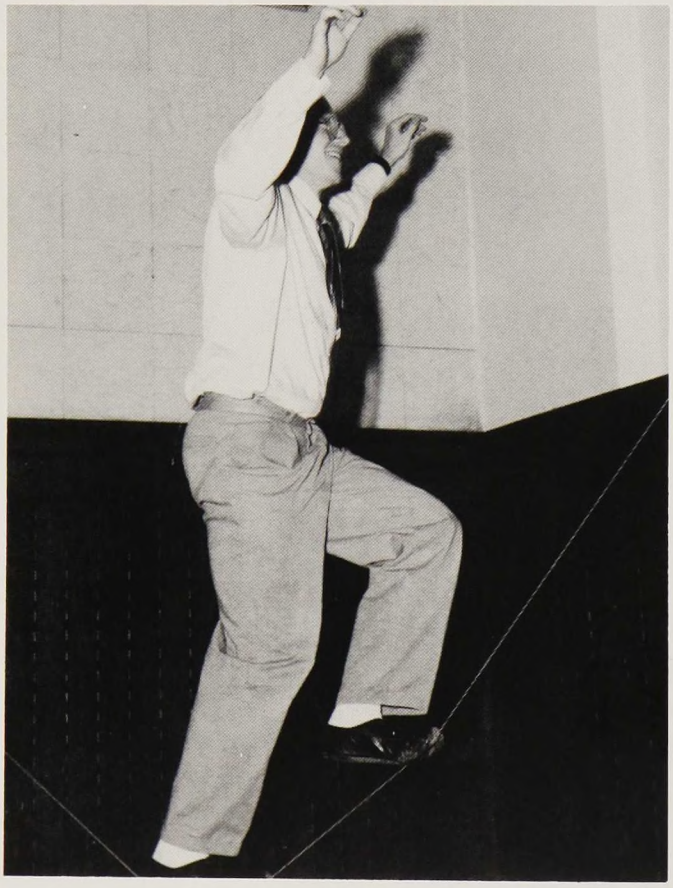
(l-r) Professors Gonzalez, Michailidis, Tomlinson, Ogden, Collmier, Neidhart and seated is Professor Gibson.

Fine & Performing Arts Sparked By Hard Work

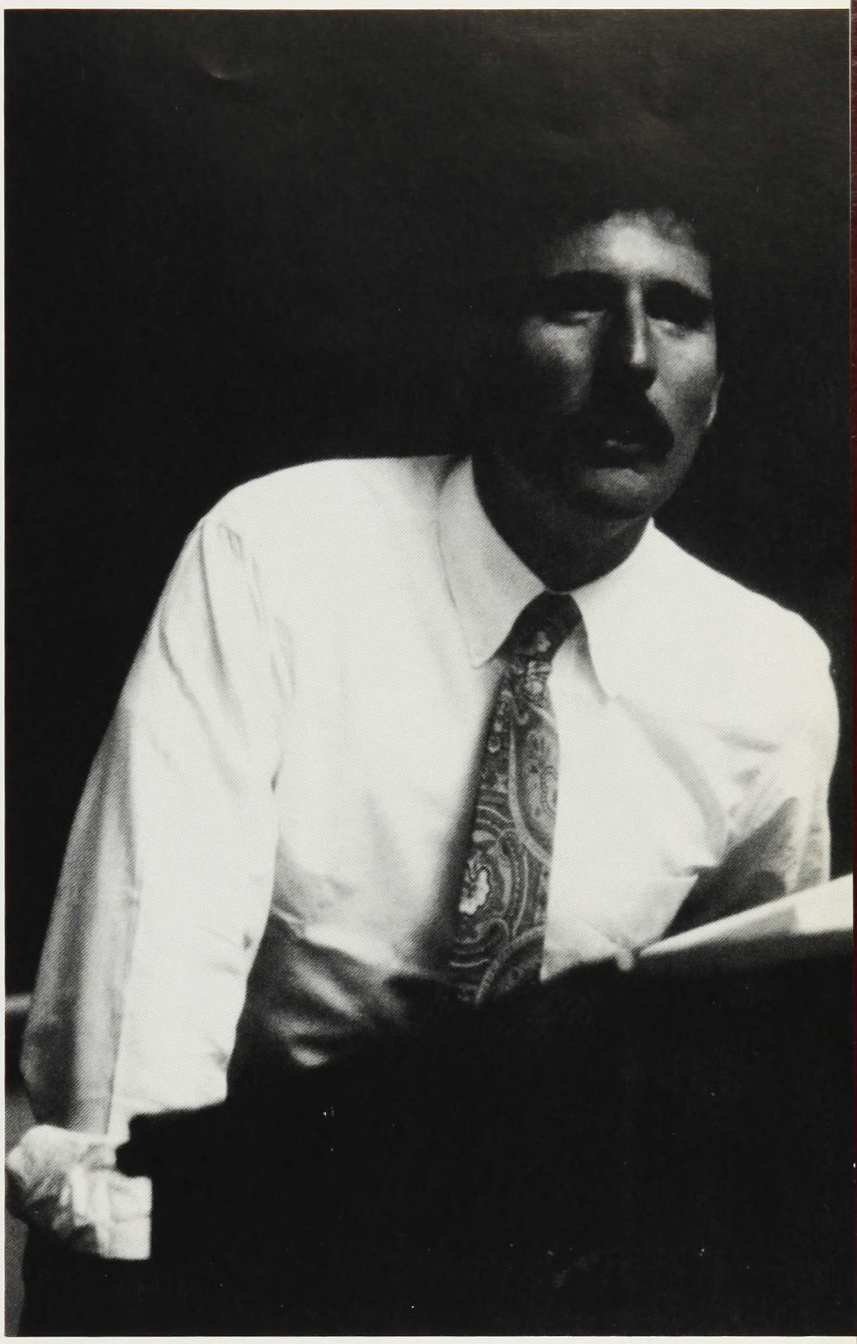
Full time professors Lisa Rabinowitz and John Towsen are responsible for the tremendous growth of the Fine and Performing Arts (FPA) department over these past four years.

Rabinowitz explains the many reasons why she chose to teach: "It is a bridge between studio art (making art) and art history (learning about art). I chose to teach at Bloomfield because I can be involved in the whole FPA program, unlike larger schools where I would be classified under 'Studio Arts.' Here you can become friends with the students and your teaching can have more of an impact."

Rabinowitz and Towsen are excited to have come to a crucial point in Bloomfield's history. The two have built the department up from scratch and they have made a vital difference. Rabinowitz is responsible for the conception and direction of the Art Gallery. Towsen on the other hand is responsible for the development of the Circus Troupe (pg. 48).



Social Sciences Makes Impact



Sure enough social science courses are taken by many throughout their many years of schooling.

It just may be that first introductory course in Psychology that influences someone's mind. Or . . .

Throughout our lives we are sometimes touched by a person who makes a critical impact on the way we live our lives. This person influences our thinking and opens our minds to new ideas. One person who has done it for many students is Martin P. Levine.

At Bloomfield, Dr. Levine is a professor of Sociology and head of the Criminal Justice program. But to leave it at that would paint only half the picture. He has a national reputation as a sociologist and a political activist fighting for equality and the eradicating racism. He "understands how structured inequality functions to block upward mobility of underpriviledged youths" and tries to educate his students of these problems. He feels the only way for these youths to make it is through "quality education" and this is what he offers his students.

He feels that this is the way because it is how he did it. Dr. Levine was an "underpriviledged youth." He came from an impoverished family and was part of the Jewish minority. He made it all the way to a PhD on scholarships and working. He used his education to get out of his poverty and broke the stereotypes that were held over his head.

Dr. Levine is a generous man who does his best with his limited resources to help his students excel and be the best they possibly can be. He looks at his students as his children and tries to mold and improve them so they can function in a multi-cultural and multi-racial society. Dr. Levine is dearly loved and deeply respected by his students. Thank you Dr. Levine for your caring compassion.

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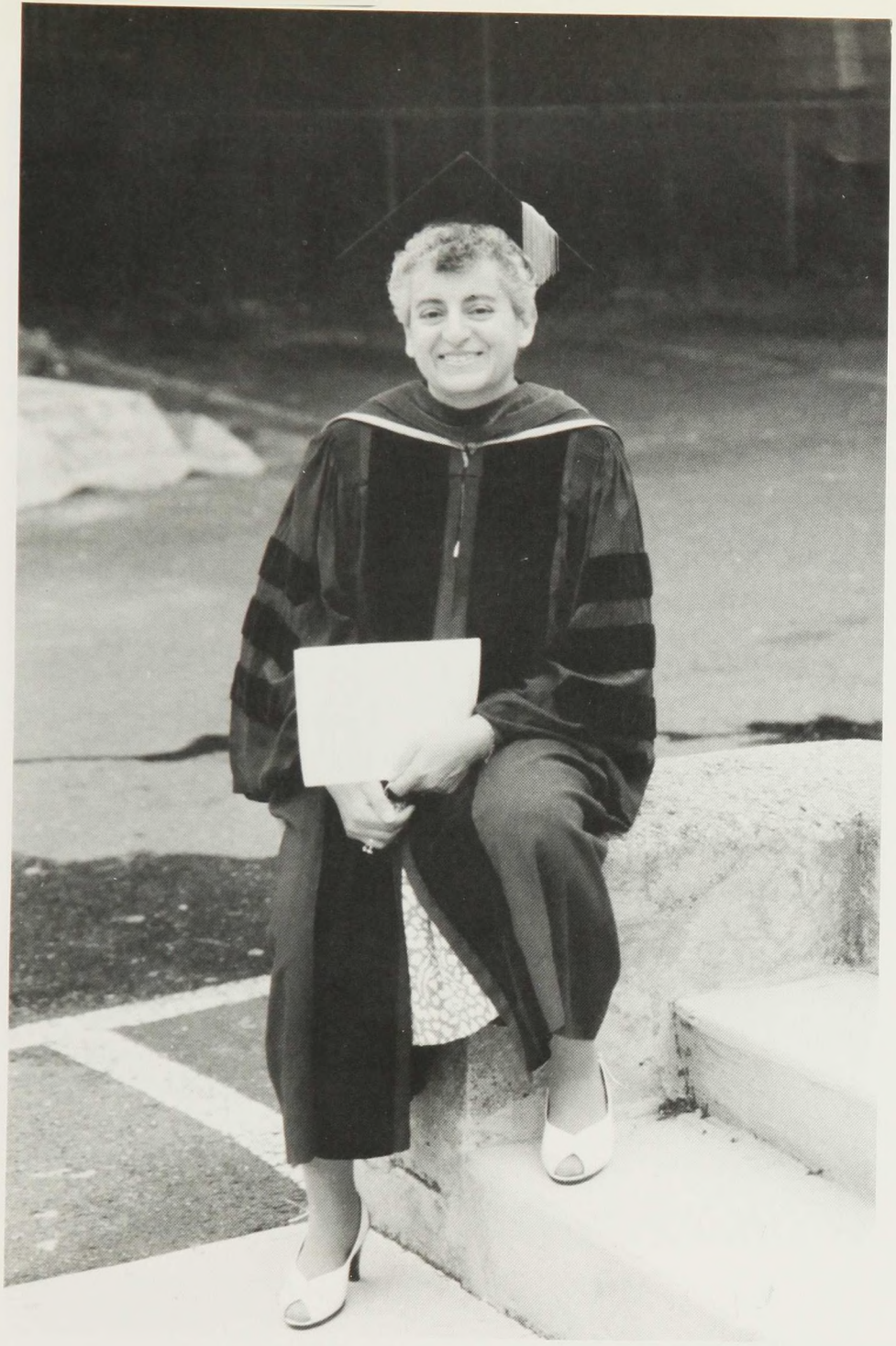

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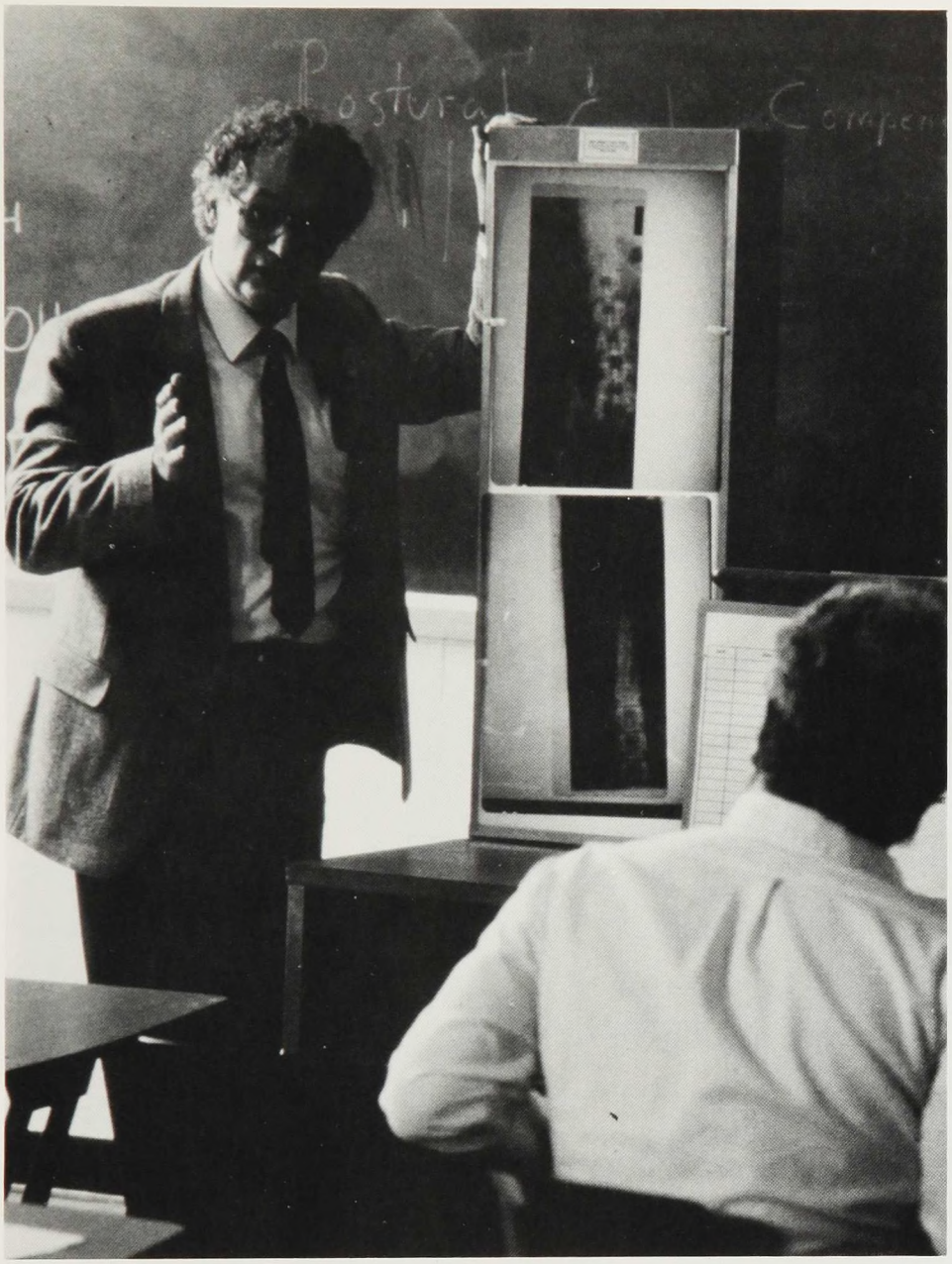

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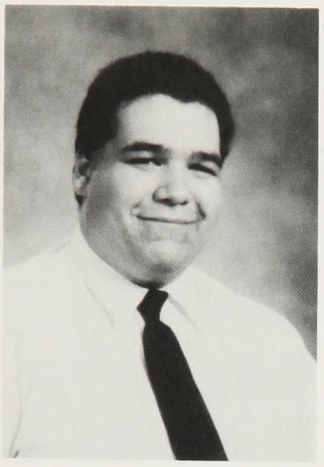

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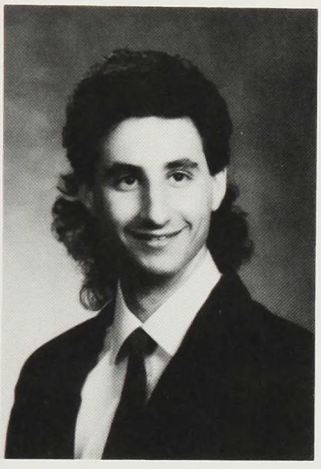
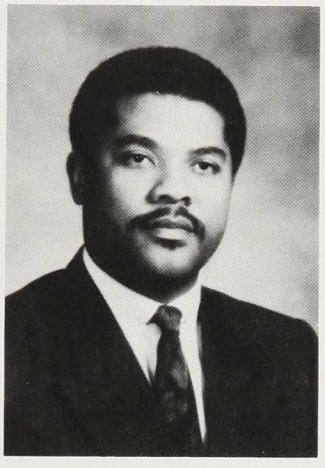

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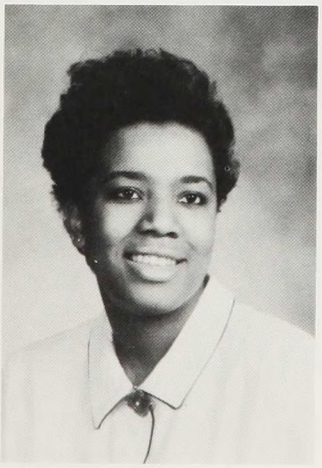

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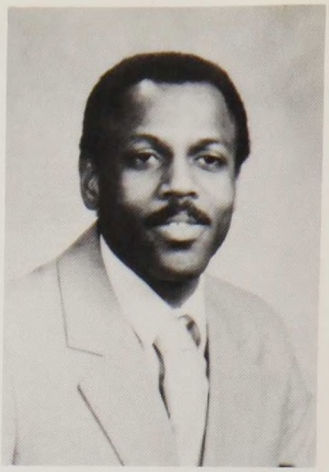


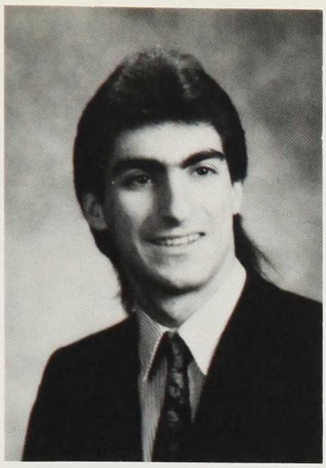
Rain, Rain Go Away

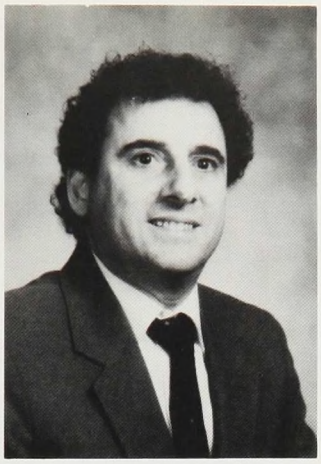
It happened again this year — just like last year. The teachers don't like it, administration doesn't understand it, but students love it.

It is a time when absences begin to pile up because senioritis has struck! Unlike years past, seniors did not cut class to spend the day at the beach because it rained much of April and May. In fact, the rainfall in May was the most ever (almost nine inches).

Instead, days were taken off to sleep in late or hang out at the Feedbag or just because it is senior year and a well deserved break was in order.

Erberto Carluccio enjoys a beautiful, sunny day just hanging around.





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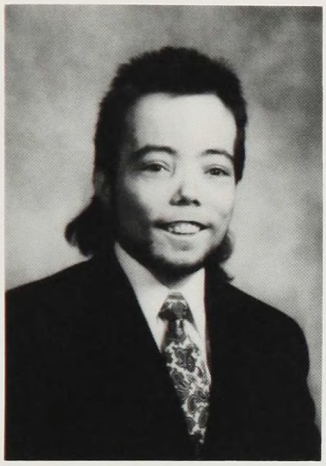

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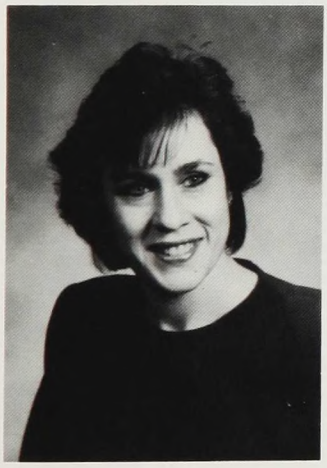

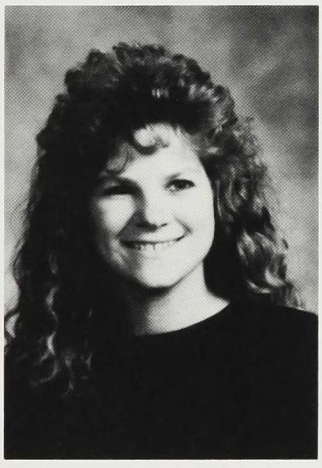

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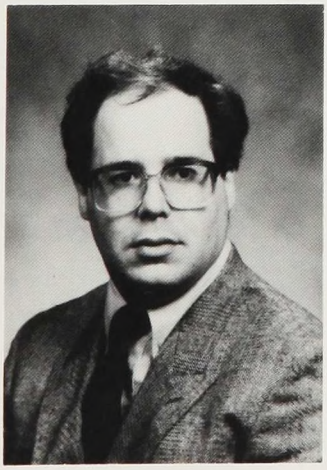

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Fitness Craze Hits Home

Guys go to build muscles and the girls go to slim down and tone up. This summer the school gym was updated with 10 different machines. The highly rated Magnum 11 found a new home in our gym. Now the athletes can train in high style and we can all work out to stay healthy. Alumni are more than welcome to use the equipment. Let the fitness craze take you over.

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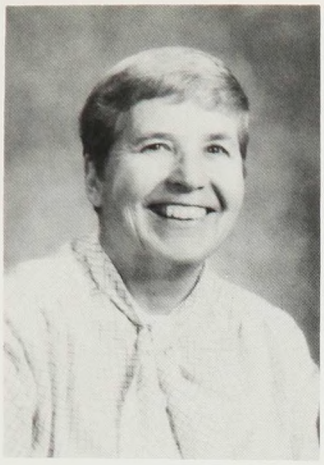

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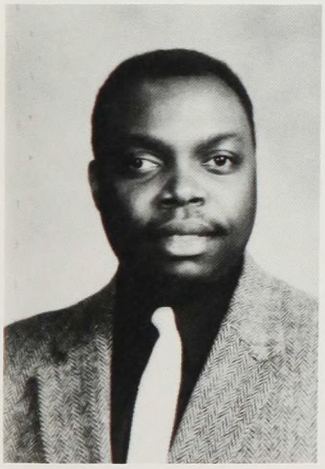

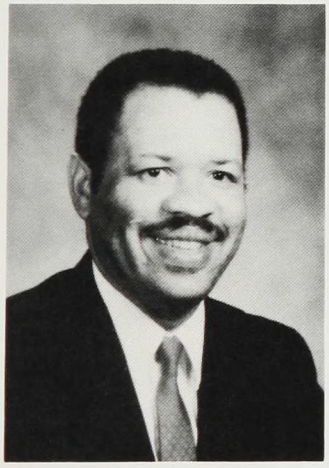

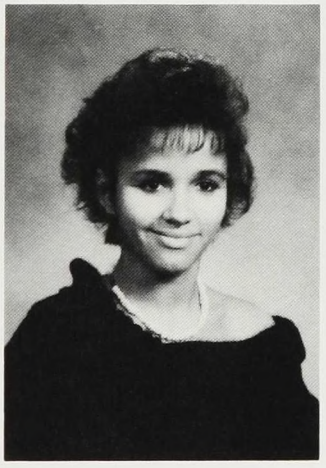

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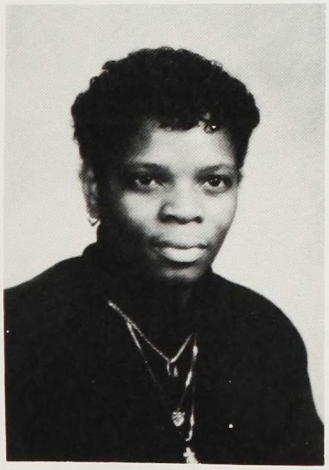

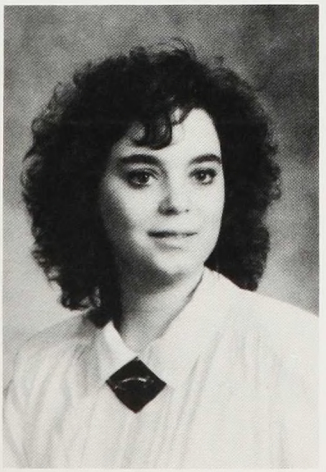

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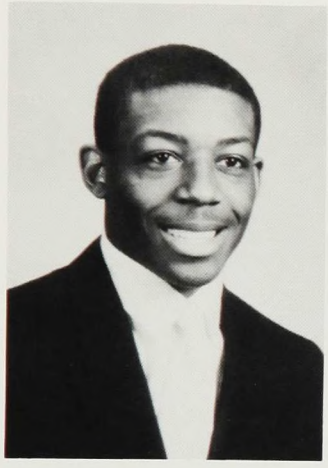

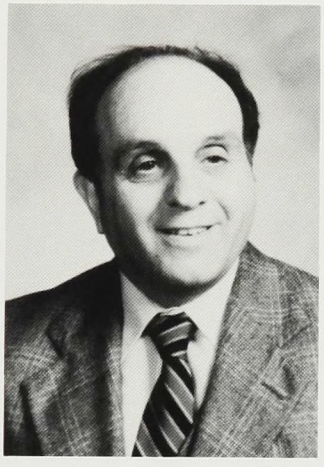

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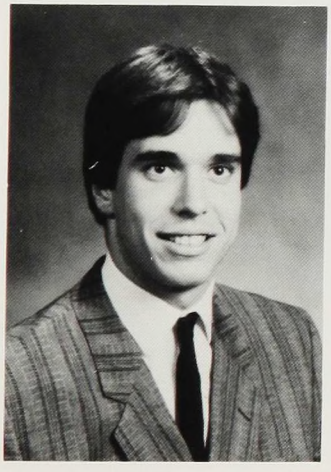

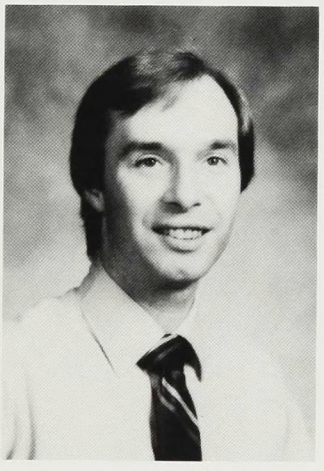

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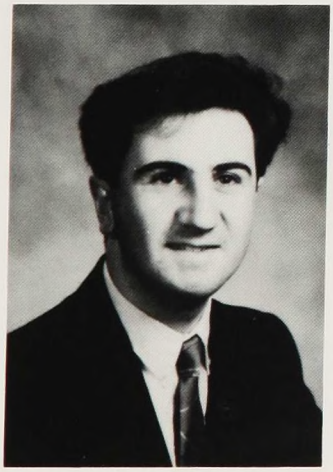

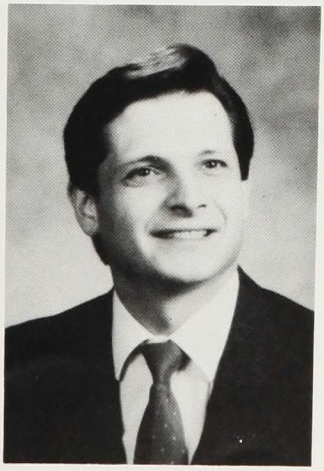

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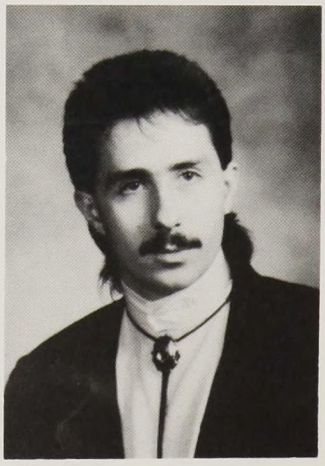

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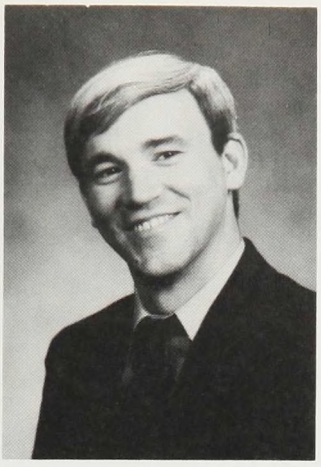

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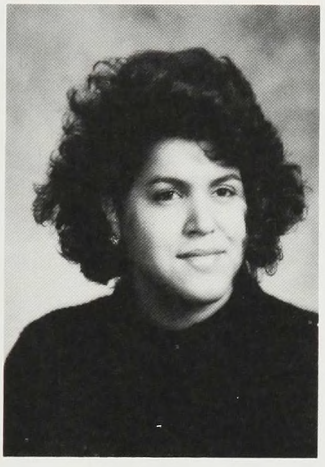

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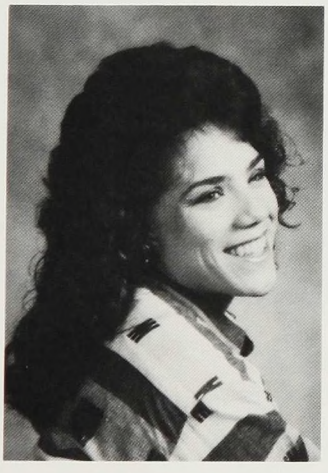

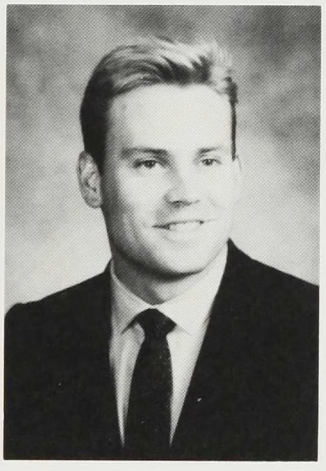

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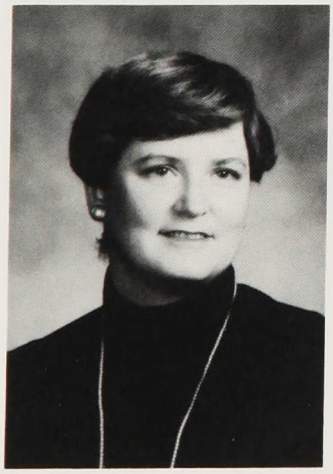

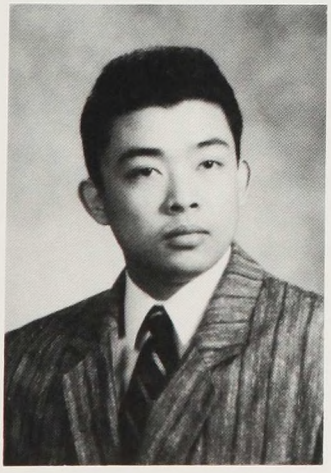

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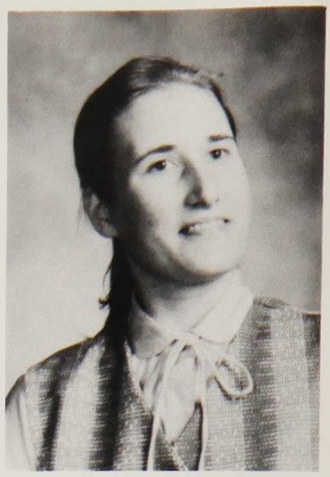
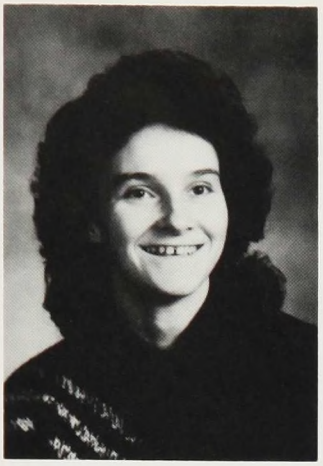
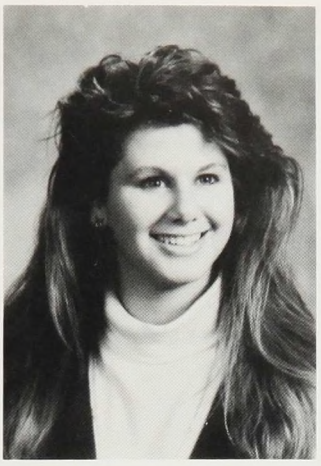


Bloomfield's Unique Personality

Each one of us that is lucky enough to experience and be a part of Bloomfield will have the learning experience of a lifetime. Bloomfield is close to NYC but far enough away to enjoy a slower pace of life.

The diversity of the students' background is a learning experience in itself. You learn about many cultures other than your own, you learn how to deal with all kinds of people and, most of all, you learn that friendship can transcend all colors.

What color someone's skin is is not the issue but rather the content of one's heart. Beyond the educational pursuits, many other intangible benefits can be yours by allowing Bloomfield College to show you the way.

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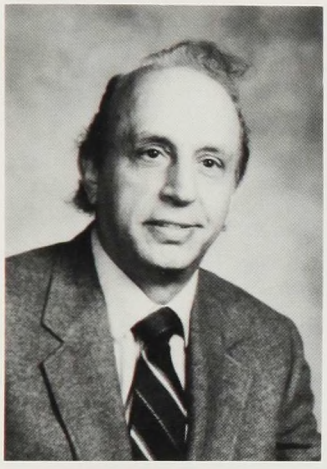

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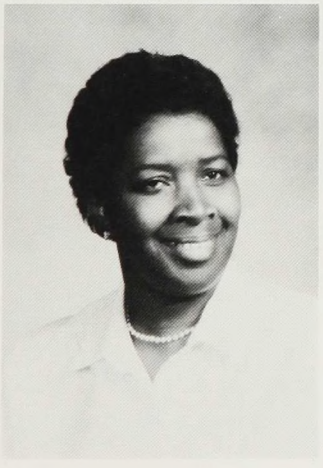
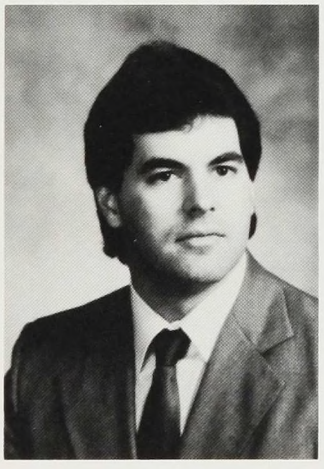

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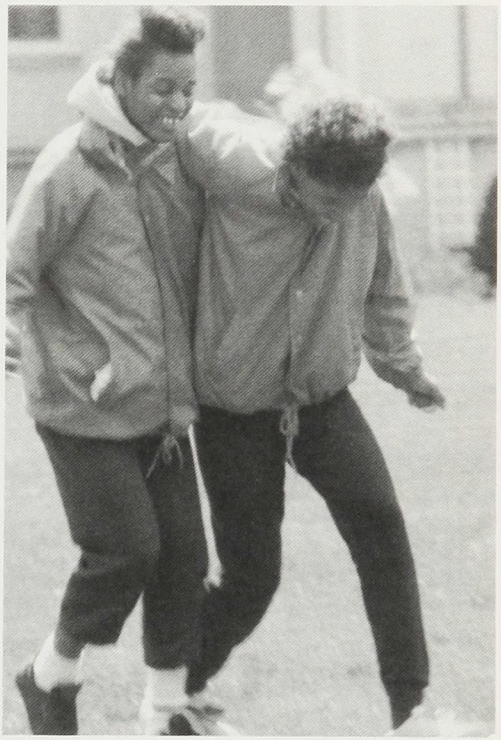

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For Your

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Information

B.C. Meets Governor's Challenge

Challenge Us!

Last spring, Governor Thomas Kean challenged the independent colleges to come up with programs that are innovative and that would increase academic quality to make New Jersey colleges the best in the nation. Almost all of the independent colleges responded. The sixteen colleges were then grouped and rated by size, either large or small.

"To prepare students to perform effectively in a multi-racial, multi-cultural society" was the strategic plan Bloomfield worked on to obtain its Mission Statement, explains Joyce Michaelson, Executive Assistant to the President.

To achieve this goal, faculty and administration worked over the summer to evaluate the good and bad aspects of the school. The areas that needed concentration were:

* faculty and curriculum development. Teacher education programs were planned, understanding the multi-cultural environment we live in and fusing that with the curriculum was stressed and a visiting minority scholars program was instituted.

* student-leadership program. Students will work in the outside community and mentor the younger students. There will be an upgrading of the academic societies and honor programs.

* arts-as-a-catalyst-to-learning program. This is a unique way of helping students to develop self confidence and self-esteem in all areas of life and classwork through learning about the arts.

* executive in residence program. Visiting executives come to share their experiences and to give lectures.

Bloomfield Wins

On October 21, 1988, Bloomfield College was notified that they were one of four colleges to be awarded the Governor's Challenge Grant for Excellence. B.C. will receive $1.8 million dollars in three years.

The Board of Trustees are firmly committed to having Westminster Theater renovated. Work will probably start this summer. Graduates are urged to come back to see the new theater.

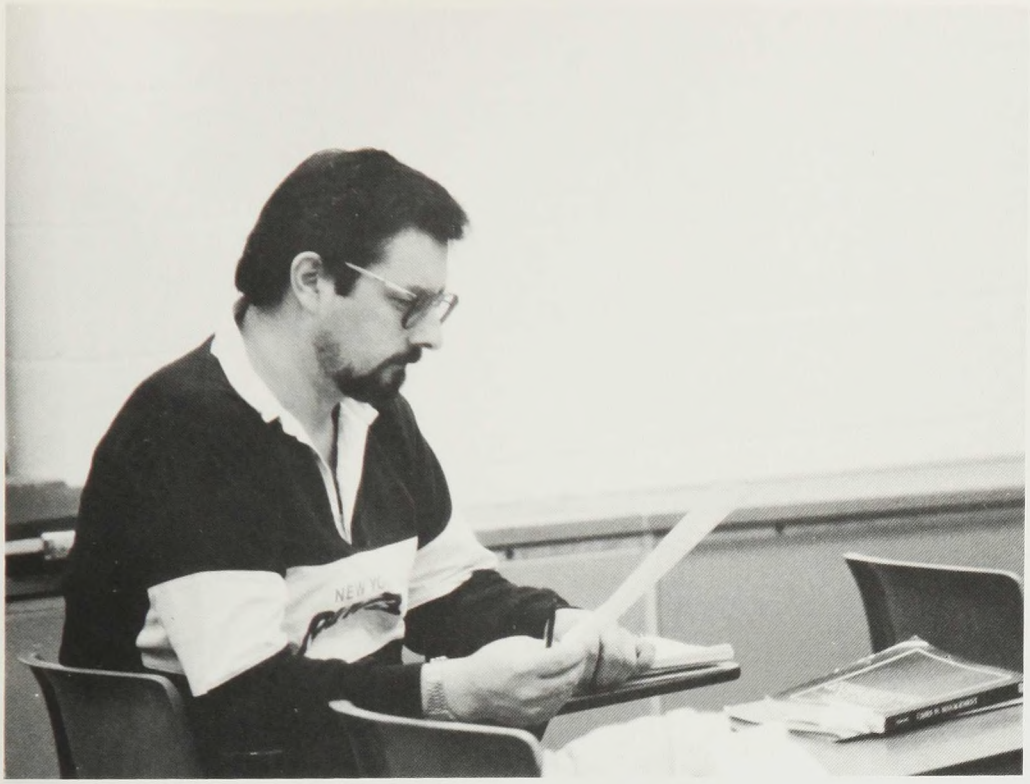
Above: Joyce Michaelson works hard to complete all her assignments in connection to the Grant. Far right: Our ever busy President stands with Lisa Rabinowitz and Jack Agueros surveying the plans for the "new" Westminster.

Want to Juggle? Apply here . . .

The Circus Troupe was developed at B.C. because of the highly successful Movement Theater Course that was established. Students audition for a limited number of spots; the troupe is then booked by schools and hospitals.

Developed by John Towsen of our theater faculty, this troupe was established in 1987 to provide an opportunity for students to study movement, to work as a team to achieve desired results, and to transcend self-imposed limits.

Members of the troupe master challenges as diverse as wire walking, juggling and fire eating.



Evening Students Have Plenty to Juggle Too!

Have you ever wondered who are all those well-dressed men and women appearing on Bloomfield's campus after dark? These are our adult students: managers, bankers, secretaries, purchasing agents, truant officers, military personnel, sales professionals, computer specialists. Moreover, most of these people also work as parents and responsible family members.

How do they do it?? They carefully budget their time; they plan each hour of each day to accomplish all their classwork, family and employment responsibilities, allowing a minimal amount of time for relaxation and socializing. Additionally, these mature undergraduates capitalize on each learning opportunity: they find academic relevance in their experiences outside the classroom, making important connections between book learning and life learning. It is this vigorous commitment to self-improvement through education that prepares and encourages so many of our adult learners to pursue advanced degrees.

We salute their heroic efforts, and wish them well as they journey forward . . .

Happenings . . .

The shuttle Discovery blasted into orbit in September, the first space flight since the shuttle Challenger mission ended tragically 73 seconds after liftoff on Jan. 28, 1988. The Discovery ended its successful four day, 1.6 million mile mission with a triumphant landing at Edwards Air Force Base in California.

The summer of 1988 was hit with the worst drought in many years. Throughout the Midwest, farmers watched helplessly as their crops went dry.

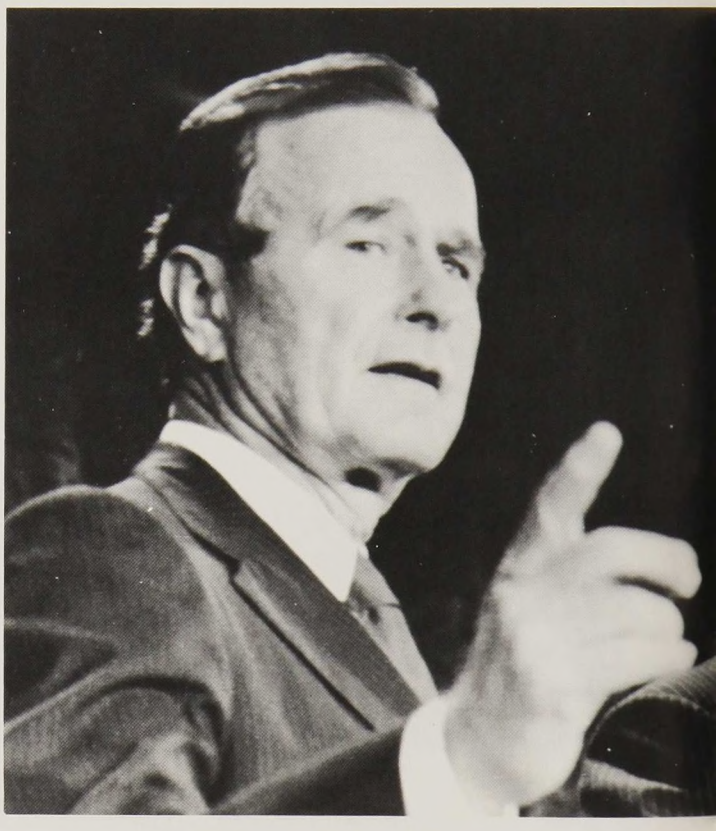
It became an international effort of good will. Russians and American rescuers cut through the ice in Alaska to save two California gray whales. The whales were trapped in the ice for more than three weeks. News media from around the world converged on the tiny village of Barrow, Alaska to cover the successful rescue.

Forest fires spread throughout the western part of the country in the summer of 1988, destroying millions of acres of national parkland. The most heavily damaged was Yellowstone National Park.

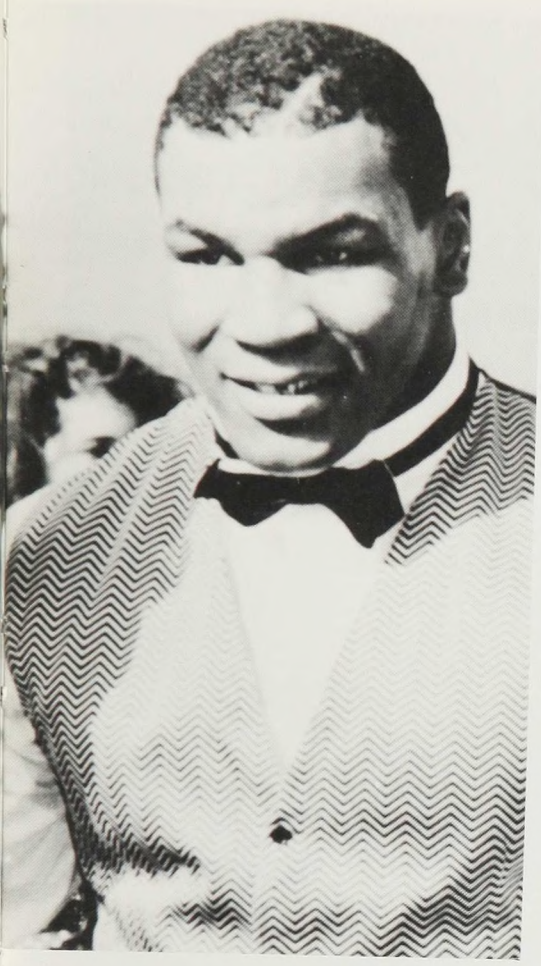
Amid tears and grief, thousands of people who had died of AIDS were memorialized in Oct. in ceremonies centered on a huge quilt that was made from friends and family members of the victims. Each of the panels measured three feet by six feet and all 50 states and a dozen foreign countries were represented in the 375,000 sq. foot quilt.

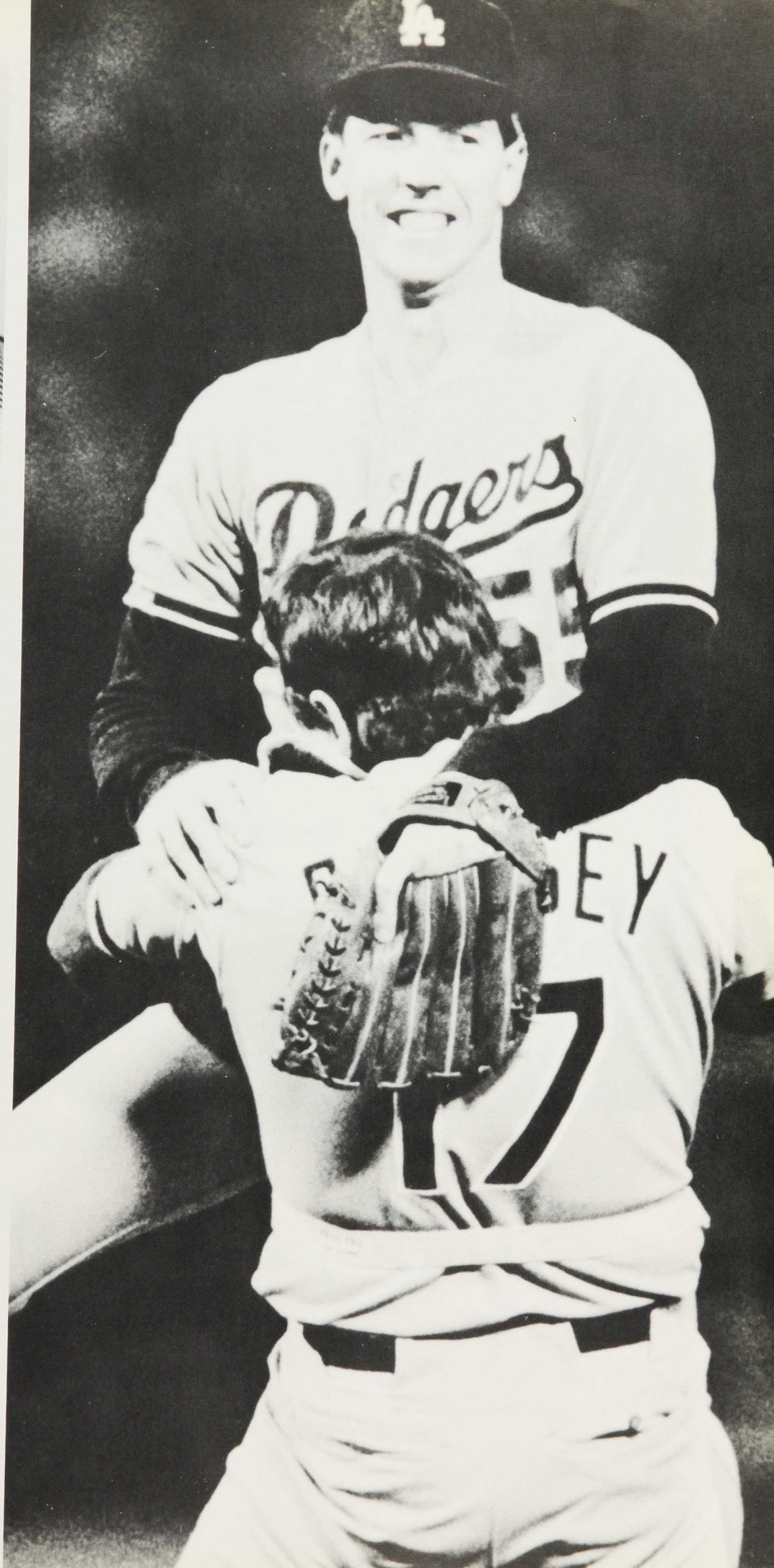
Canadian Ben Johnson, looked over at arch rival Carl Lewis at the finish of the 100 meter race in the summer Olympics at Seoul, South Korea. Johnson won the gold medal but was later disqualified after traces of an anabolic steroid was found in his system.

President Ronald Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev worked for several years to bring the two countries together. After a treaty was signed to eliminate certain nuclear weapons, 1988 was the year the efforts of these two leaders went into effect. Perhaps 1988-1989 can be remembered as the year of peace.



Upper right: It was one of the big marriages of the year. Heavyweight boxer Mike Tyson married actress Robin Givens. But the stormy marriage of the 22-year-old rich boxer and the 23-year-old beautiful actress lasted less than a year. Right: Vice President George Bush, after serving for eight years in the Ronald Reagan administration, became the new President. Senator Dan Quayle of Indiana became the new Vice President. Far right: The World Series belonged to the Los Angeles Dodgers. The Dodgers captured their sixth World Series title in Oct. with a 5-2 victory over the Oakland A's in the fifth game of the series. All information and photos were supplied by the 1988-89 Associated Press.

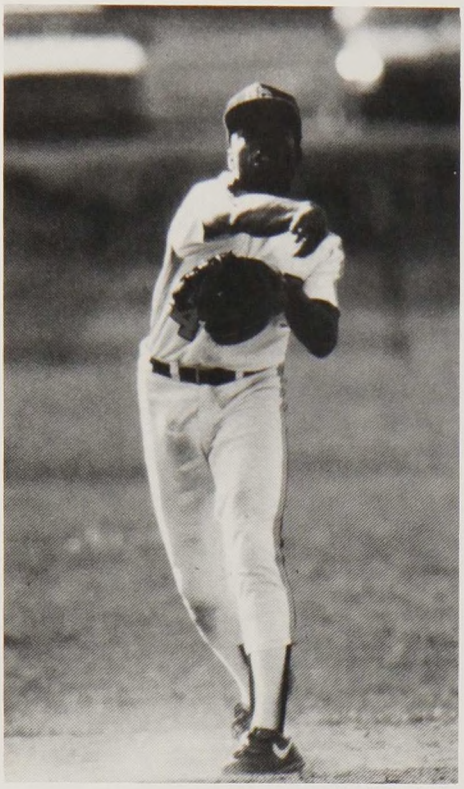


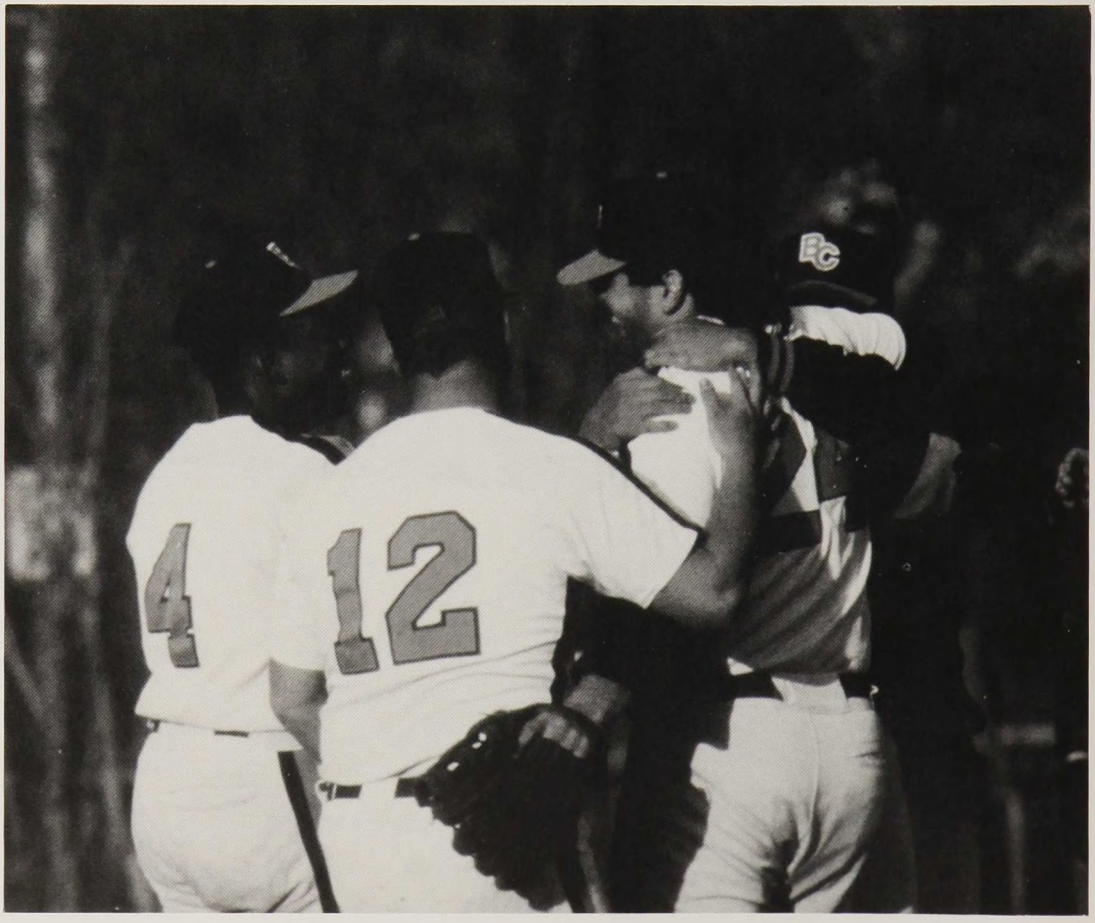

Dodgers

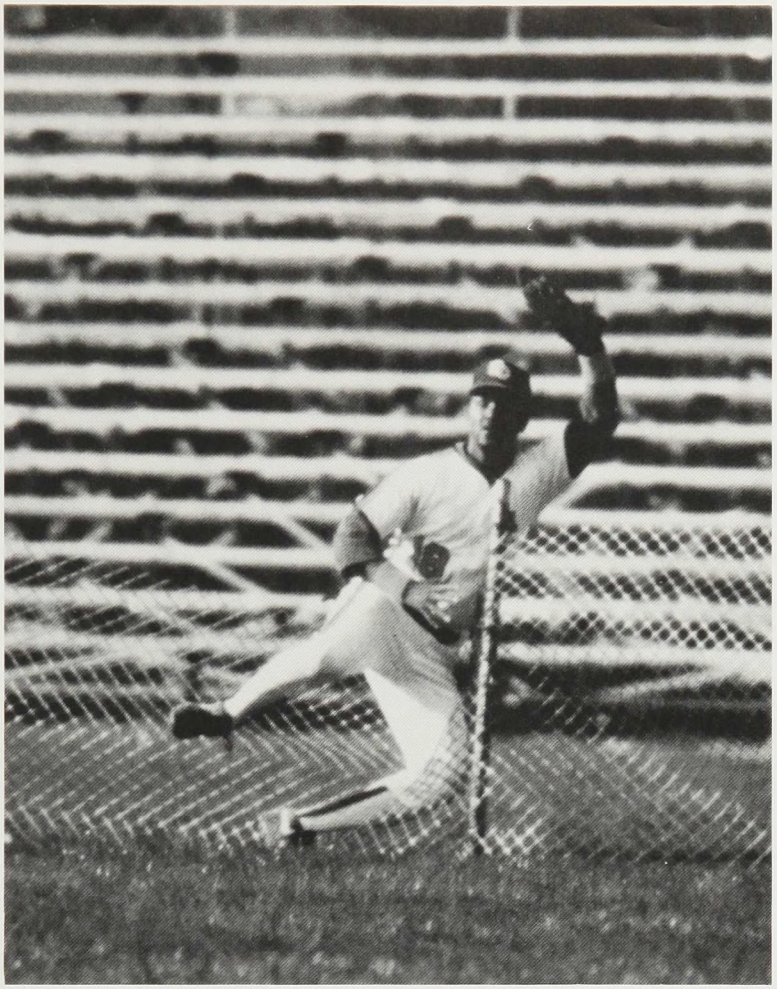
Executive In Residence

We had a very successful Executive In Residence program in Bloomfield this year due to the fine efforts of the volunteer executives and artists. The program was set up to encourage and teach the students what it is like in the professions by someone in the field. Such impressive participants include: Cyrus Holley, Gus Williams, Denise Richardson and Alejandro Anreus.

Baseball







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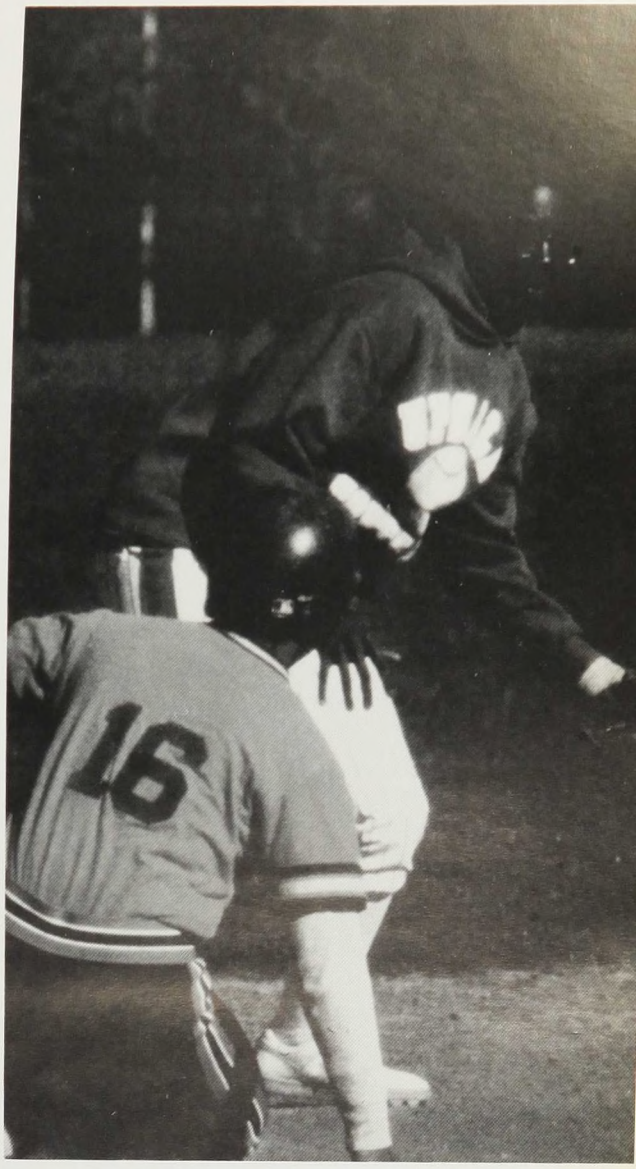
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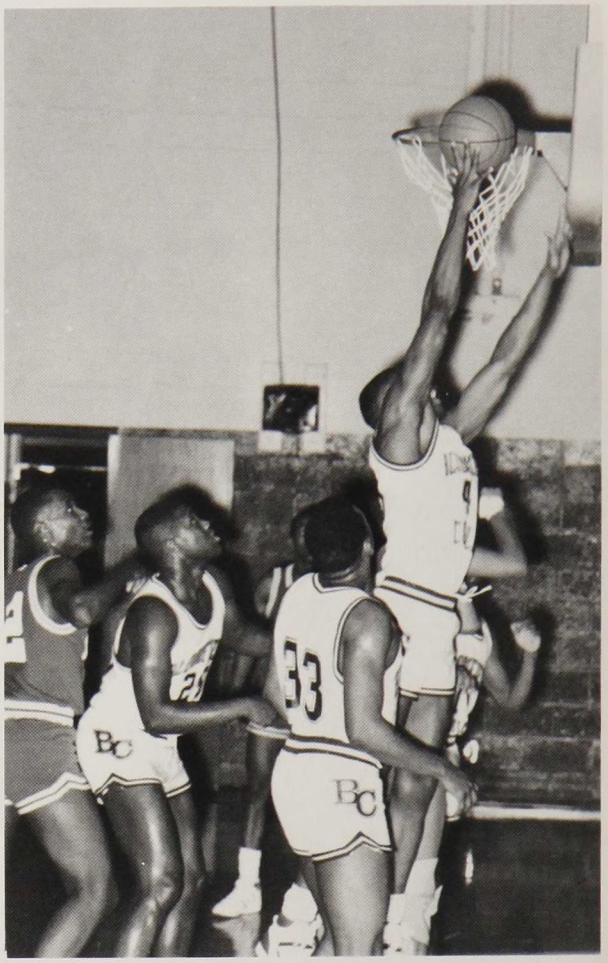

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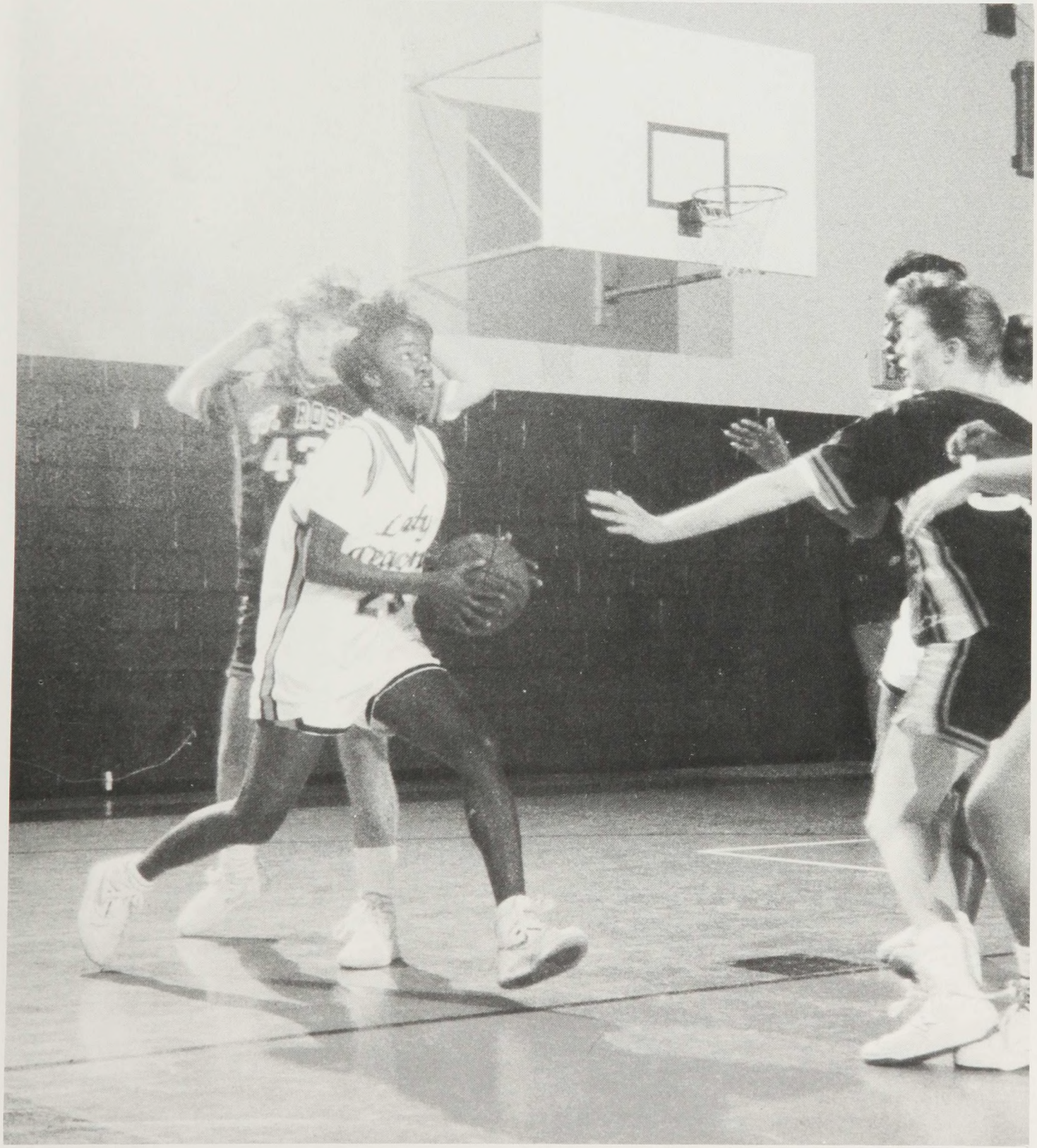

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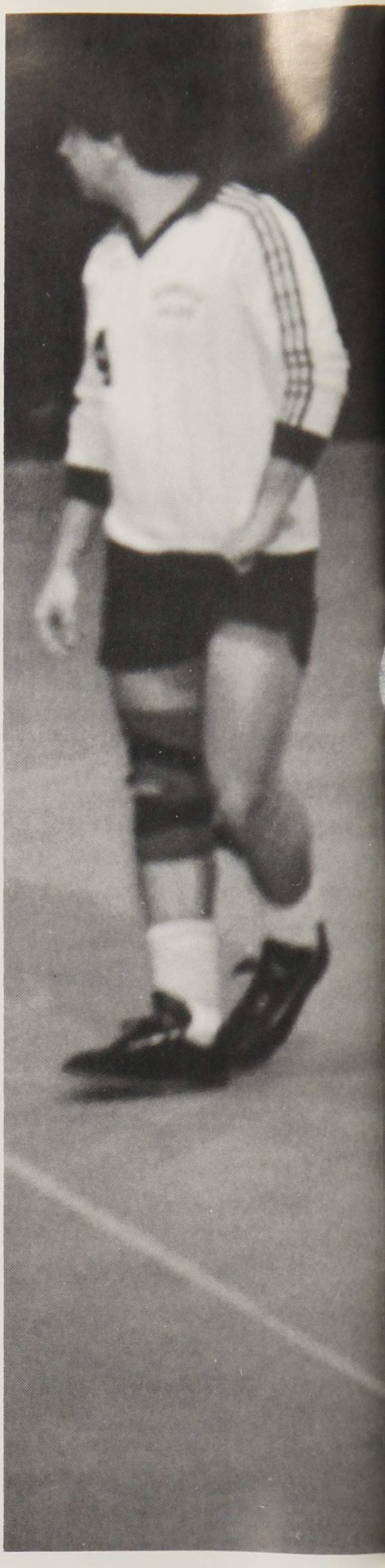

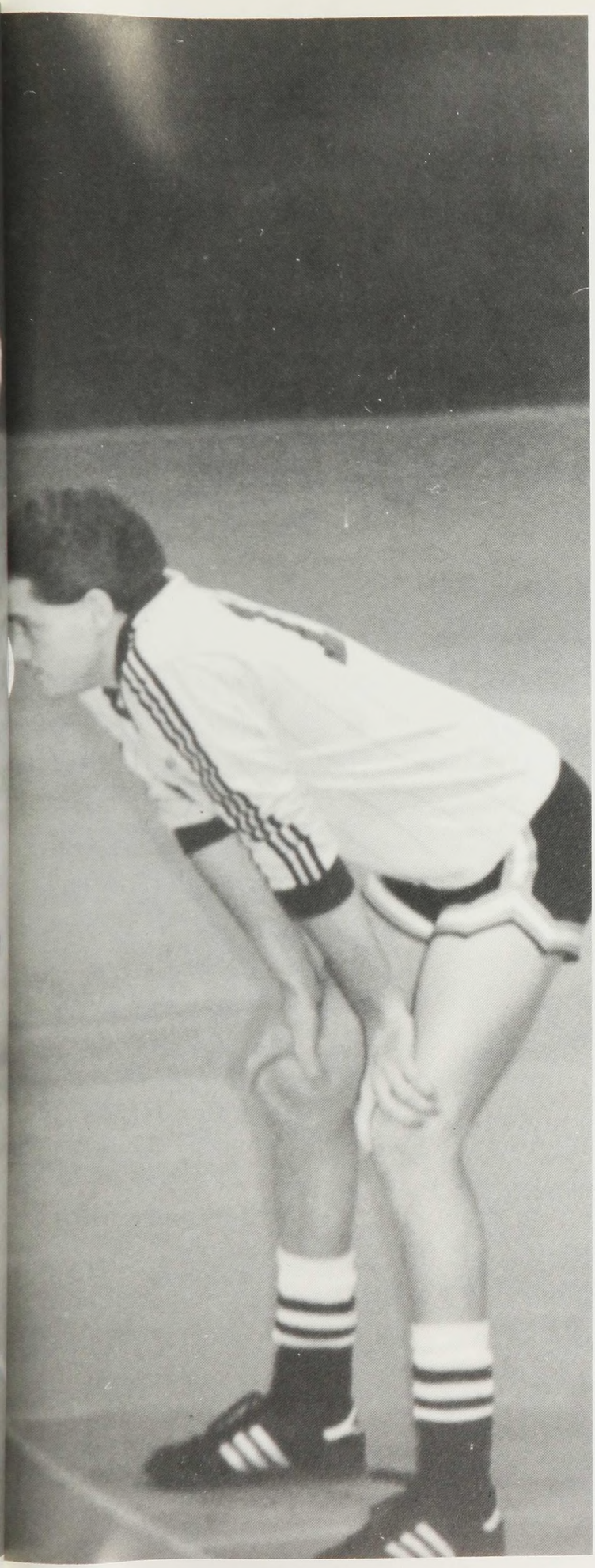

This Year In Sports

The 30th Annual Bloomfield College Athletic Awards Banquet was held on May 5, 1989, to honor the College's athletes who participated in soccer, women's basketball, men's basketball, baseball, softball, and lacrosse during the 1988-89 season.

Bloomfield College's President, John F. Noonan, was in attendance to address faculty members, parents, coaches and athletes. He made a strong effort to let everyone know how much the College appreciated the hard work and dedication the sports teams displayed throughout the past school year.

Each head coach summarized the past season and recognized special achievements. The coaches also honored the teams' MVP.

Senior Jim Caruso (Long Branch), a steady performer who played midfield, received the soccer team's MVP award. Even though the soccer team finished with a 1-14 record, Caruso found a way to lead the team to scoring. He was also the inspirational leader on a team that suffered injury after injury throughout the season.

Leadoff hitter, junior Mark "Mookie" Wright (West Milford), grabbed the baseball Deacons' MVP award. Wright hit .370, had six home runs, 29 RBI's, 15 extra base hits and 17 stolen bases in 29 games. Wright has been a steady performer each year, both in the field and at the plate. This past spring Mark has been impressing area major league baseball scouts.

Nate Nicholson (Jersey City), who averaged 19.9 ppg and 10.4 rps this past season for the Deacons' basketball team, was their MVP. The 6'7" forward helped B.C. to a 15-11 record and was named NAIA All-America, All-CACC, All-District 31 and All-Metro Division 11.

Senior captain Audra Coleman (Wildwood), who helped guide the Lady Deacons to a new school record 26-3 mark, grabbed the women's basketball MVP honor. Coleman averaged 14.7 ppg and 7.4 rebounds per game and was named to the All-District and All-CACC teams.

The lacrosse team, which is not a varsity sport at B.C., finished with an 8-3 record. David Gigante and Andy Schaeffer, both of Kinnelon were given Co-MVP awards. Brian Maher, also of Kinnelon, received the Unsung Hero Award given by the NJ Lacrosse Foundation.

Sophomore outfielder Kelley Dockx and junior second baseman Patti Murphy have been named to the National Softball Coaches Association NAIAA All-America Team.

Dockx and Murphy helped the Lady Deacons to a 26-9 record, an appearance in the NAIA National Tournament this past May and a No. 8 national final ranking.

Dockx led the Lady Deacons in hitting with a .475 average. She had one home run, 15 extra base hits and set a school record with 57 RBI's. Murphy is a newcomer to the Lady Deacons after transferring from Camden County College. Murphy batted .423 with 17 RBI's, 17 stolen bases and five extra base hits.

Clubs

New Organizations

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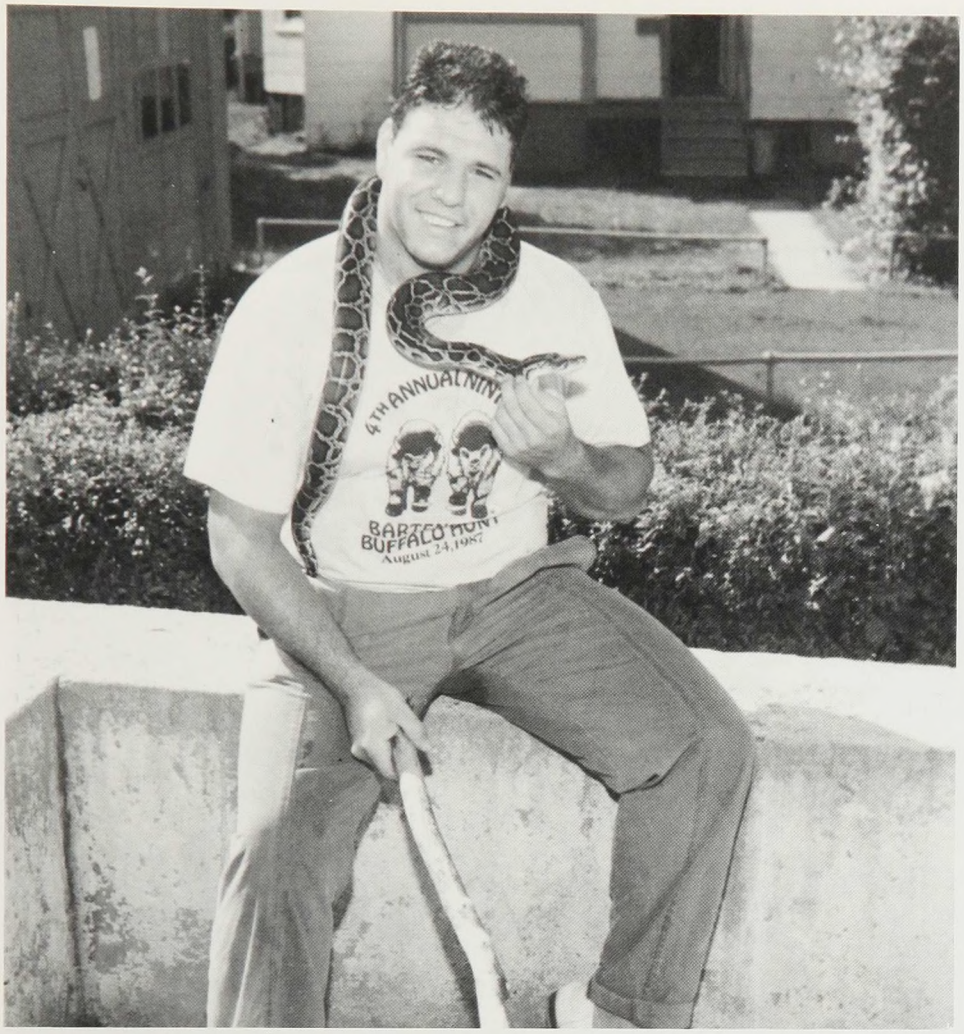

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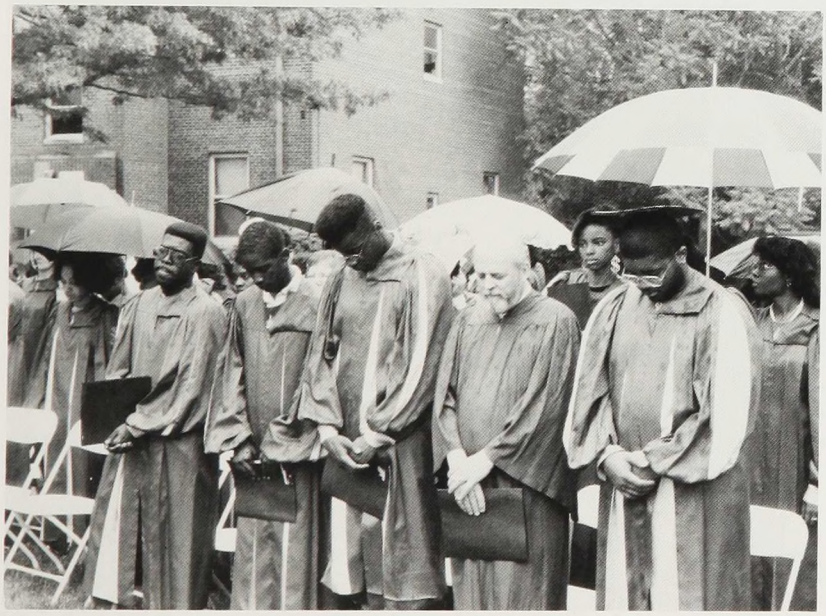

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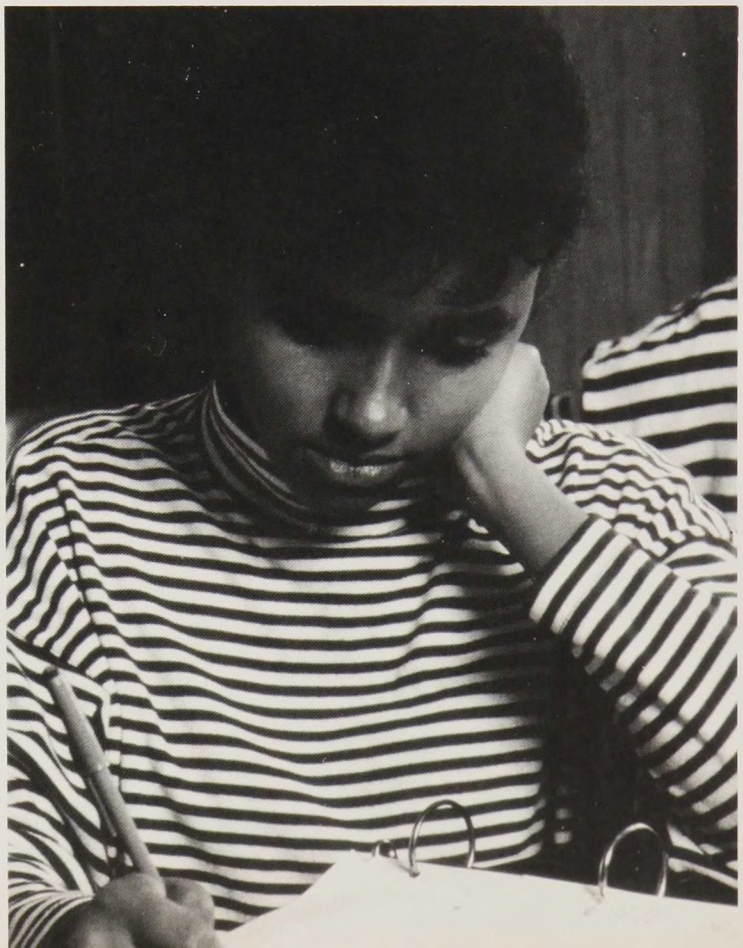

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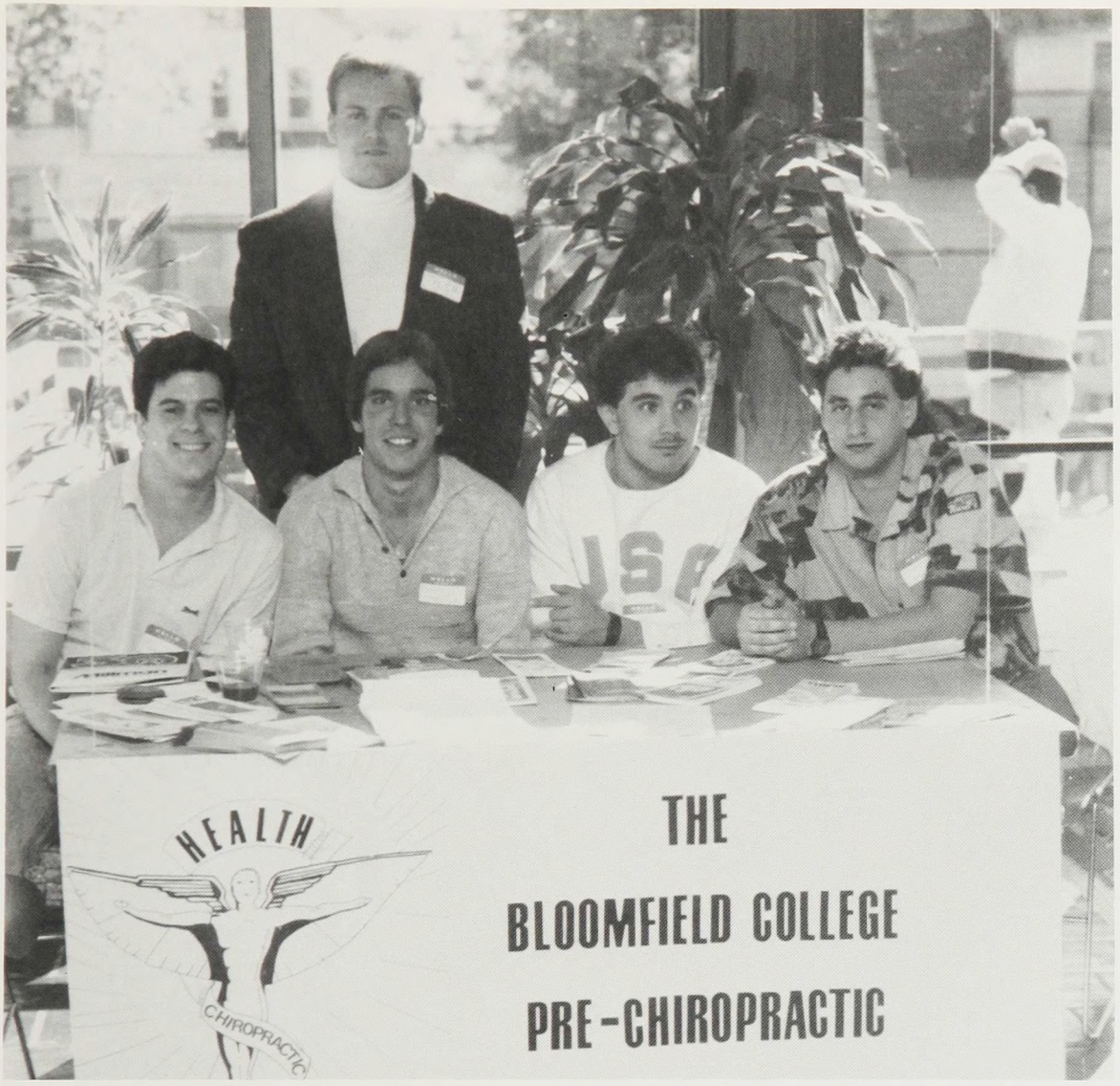
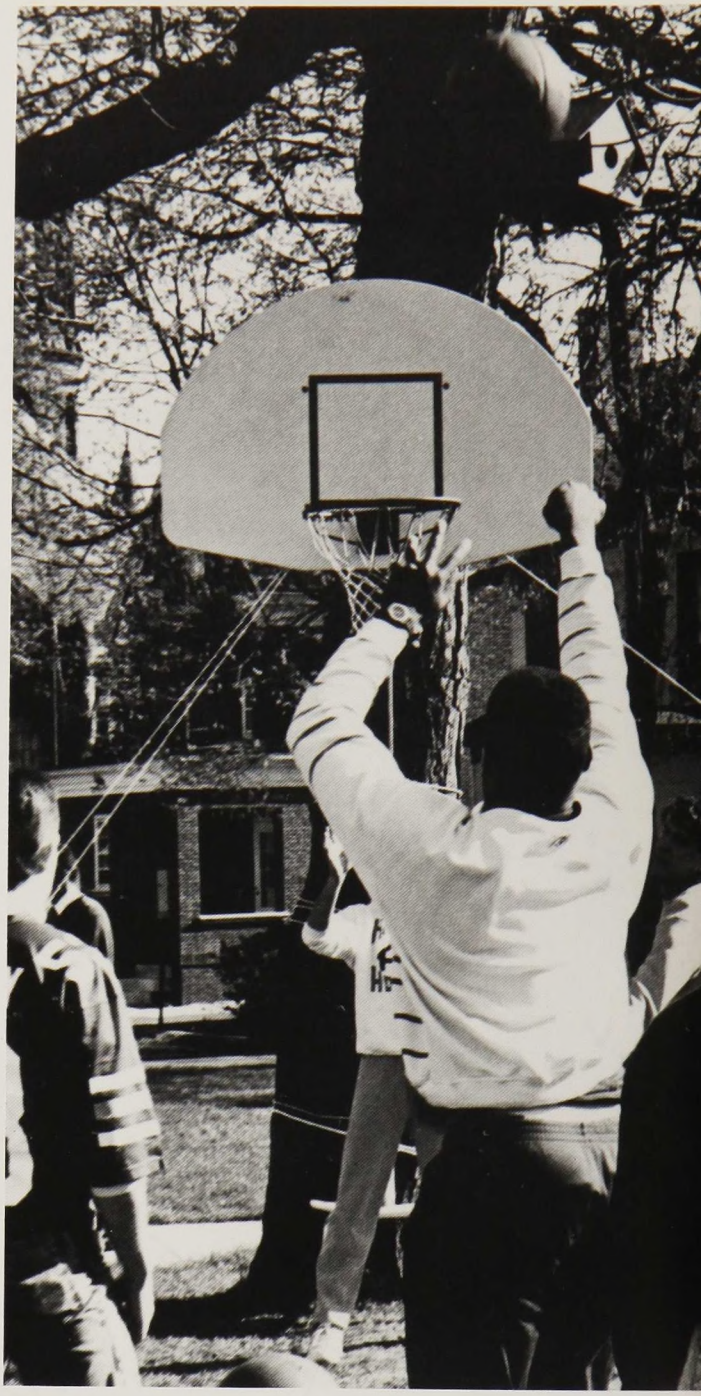


Student

Life

Bloomfield's Boardwalk Blast

MONOPOLY was never like this. "Boardwalk Blast" was the theme for this year's Springfest. Numerous carnival booths with games, food and craft items were named for streets in the original Monopoly — Park Place, Boardwalk, Ventnor, Mediterranian, etc. Jugglers, tumblers, fire eaters, men on stilts all helped to make the day a great event.



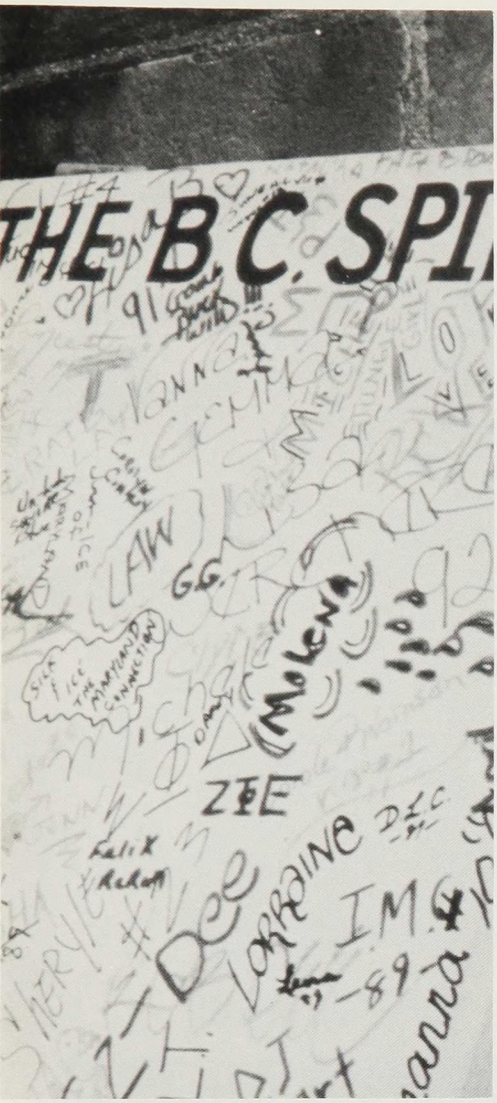
PRE-CHIRO CLUB

Happenings in 1989

The year's first event was a 50's Party. The gym was decorated to create a feeling of nostalgia. Students, faculty and staff dressed in knee socks, kilts, leather jackets, angora sweaters, poodle skirts and pony tails. They "Rocked Around the Clock" and "Strolled" to the sounds of yesteryear.

A first time fundraising dance marathon was held on campus. This event raised money to be donated to SADD — Students Against Driving Drunk. Couples danced the night away — from 7:00 P.M. to 4:30 A.M. — to the varied music of several D.J.'s. Videos were played at the same time as dancers tried to keep themselves from tiring. The evening was a success with one pair of dancers emerging the winners.

Among the campus events that brought out many students was Spirit Day. A sea of maroon and gold T-shirts, sweaters and sweat shirts were seen around the campus, along with Bloomfield College buttons on every available space. Faculty, staff, administration, and students gathered on the campus quadrangle to hear the music played on the library steps, play volleyball, throw frisbees and enjoy each other's company. A lasting momento from Spirit Day is a banner, which hangs in the College Center.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Nursing Pinning Ceremony

Pre-Chiropractic Students Leave With A Mission

The leaving Pre-Chiropractic students were given a recognition ceremony and brunch on Saturday, May 20th. On hand to give speeches were Frank Zaccaria, DC, President Noonan, Paula Laks and Chiropractic Club President Jason Beck.

"You honored us for being here for three years and I hate to see you leave," said Noonan in his congratulatory address. Noonan added a twist to his speech; he spoke of the illiteracy problem in the United States today. He urged the students as potential leaders and respected community members to take an active role. "You are leaving a college that believes deeply that you should return and give something back . . . think of yourselves as educators."

It was both a joyful and sorrowful time for all. It is a time to venture on to Chiropractic school and take the wonderful memories of the college, staff, students and friends.

WE WISH YOU ALL THE BEST OF LUCK.

EXIT

Graduation '89

It Rained!

It started quietly enough. One drop, another, a few more drops and soon it was pouring. The class of 1989 will always have a story to tell.

There were cloudy skies when commencement began. Everyone held their breath and crossed their fingers in a hope to hold back the rain.

President Noonan cut short his congratulatory address so the graduates could receive their diplomas before the rain would begin.

As soon as the students lined up to get their degrees, it began to pour. Even though it was raining, each degree was conferred individually so none of the students would be shortchanged.

The class of 1989 has one more memory to add to their list of unique memories.

Surprise, Surprise!

Robert T. Estler, Vice President, Treasurer and Bloomfield College alumni, was awarded a surprise honorary degree. It was given in recognition of his 25 years of hard work and dedication to the college.

Two other honorary degrees were quickly given because of the impending rain. W. Arthur Lewis, Nobel laureate, author, teacher and government advisor, received an honorary doctor of humanities degree. Dr. Oleske was the first physician to recognize AIDS in children, and is considered an expert on its treatment. He was awarded an honorary doctor of humane letters degree.

COMMENCEMENT 1989

"The way I see it, if you want the rainbow, you gotta put up with the rain"
Dolly Parton